Weather Today: Fair.

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NEWS SUMMARY

THE SITUATION IN THE FAR EAST.

The American naval board found that it would require 60 days to finish repairs on all the Russian vessels at Manila. President Roosevelt will decide today how long they may remain or intern.—Page 1.

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The war was denounced at a public meeting in Russia and a panic ensued in which many persons were injured.—Page 1.

An attempt will be made to oust J. Pierpont Morgan's American-China Development Company from its concessions in China, which may involve the United States government.—Page 1.

Visiting princes and princesses at Berlin to attend the wedding of Duchess Cecilia and Crown Prince Frederick William, dined with the emperor and empress.—Page 3.

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F. K. Campbell discussed as a candidate for the vacancy in the county commissionership.—Page 5.

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Pittsburgh men will make investments in the Pocahontas coal region.—Page 2.

Singers have arrived to participate in the district saengerfest.—Page 6.

Minister at anti-graft meeting told of speak-easy running near church services in First ward, Allegheny.—Page 1.

John Battles, for years a prominent Republican leader, died of heart trouble.—Page 8.

Dr. W. J. Holland returned from Europe yesterday and says triple alliance is more popular than ever in England.—Page 2.

Old historic parish of St. Luke's, Woodville, celebrated its 170th anniversary.—Page 2.

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Pittsburgh won two games from Chicago.—Page 7.

Kerr Price of Pittsburgh has been elected captain of the Ohio Northern baseball team.—Page 7.

Pittsburgh pigeon race from Western stations.—Page 7.

THE WEATHER

Fair today and fair and warmer tomorrow are the predictions for Pittsburgh and vicinity furnished by the official observer at Washington. The maximum temperature in Pittsburgh yesterday was 74 and the minimum 55 degrees. Fair.

The sun rose cloudy at 4:48 and set cloudy at 7:47. The daily report furnished by the local weather office follows:

Time.	Bar.	Tem.	Hum.	Wind.	Weather.
8 a. m.	30.08	60	88	E.	Pt. Cldy.
8 p. m.	29.92	72	71	S.W.	Pt. Cldy.

Comparative temperature and precipitation for June 4:

	1905	1904		1905	1904
Maximum	74	80	Mean	64	80
Minimum	56	68	Precipitation	T.	T.
Nor. temp. 31 yrs.	68		Nor. precip. 31 yrs.	.11	
Diff. for day	4		Precip. for day	T.	
Diff. since June 1.	23		Diff. since June 1.	.36	
Diff. since Jan. 1.	161		Diff. since Jan. 1.	3.62	

Government Weather Report.

WASHINGTON, June 4.—Forecast:

Western Pennsylvania—Fair Monday; Tuesday fair, warmer in north portion; variable winds.

Ohio—Fair Monday, cooler in extreme north portion; Tuesday fair, warmer in north portion; variable winds.

West Virginia—Fair Monday and Tuesday.

Observations taken at weather bureau stations 8 a. m.:

Cairo	84 Pt. Cldy	Cincinnati	80 Cloudy
Chicago	66 Foggy	Parkersburg	74 Cloudy
Abilene	88 Clear	New York	68 Cloudy
Louisville	82 Pt. Cldy	Washington	72 Rain
St. Louis	86 Pt. Cldy	Philadelphia	68 Cloudy
Oklahoma	84 Clear	Indianapolis	82 Cloudy
Pueblo	70 Clear	Vicksburg	86 Clear
Omaha	86 Clear	Chattanooga	82 Pt. Cldy
El Paso	90 Pt. Cldy	Kansas City	86 Clear
Galveston	80 Clear	New Orleans	80 Pt. Cldy
Jeffersonville	76 Cloudy	Memphis	84 Pt. Cldy
Atlanta	80 Cloudy	Grand Rapids	74 Cloudy
Duluth	66 Cloudy	Jacksonville	84 Clear
St. Paul	74 Cloudy		

RUSSIANS NEED SIXTY DAYS

American Naval Board Examines the Damaged Ships at Manila.

PRESIDENT TO ACT

He and Secretaries Taft and Morton Will Hold a Conference Today.

ADMIRAL TELLS OF FIGHT

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

MANILA, June 4.—The naval board which has examined into the conditions of the Russian warships here reports that the Oleg will require 90 days, the Aurora 30 days and the Jemtchug seven days to effect repairs. The board was composed of the following officers: Commander Calkins, Lieut.-Commander McElroy and the Ohio's carpenter, Harding.

Rear Admiral Train has offered the Russian ships the necessary coal in lieu of 14 days' stay here, but there is a question whether the Russians will be able to carry such a quantity of coal on account of their damaged hulls.

Admiral Enquist requested permission to repair here, saying he would be unable to sail except in a smooth sea, on account of his vessel's needing patching near the water line.

The Japanese consul at Manila called on Gov.-Gen. Wright twice today to make inquiries regarding the disposition of the Russian vessels.

The deaths today aboard the Russian ships now bring the total of killed up to 71, and there are five additional cases in the hospital. American navy surgeons are assisting the Russian surgeons in their work of caring for the wounded.

Enquist Talks of Battle.

Rear Admiral Enquist now claims he lost his flagship in the naval fight and then transferred his flag to the Aurora and left the fight Saturday night. He said he did not know the fight was continued Sunday. He declared the Japanese attack was so sudden and ferocious his section was completely overwhelmed.

Later Rear Admiral Enquist, accompanied by Rear Admiral Train and the French consul, formally called on Gov. Gen. Wright. After the usual greetings had been exchanged, Gov. Wright asked:

"Admiral Enquist, do you wish to stay at Manila permanently?"

Rear Admiral Enquist replied: "My ships are unseaworthy. I have not heard from my government, and I request time to make repairs."

Gov. Wright then said that according to his construction of the neutrality laws the Russian vessels could remain long enough to make necessary repairs, and, after these were finished, they must leave within 24 hours, or dismantle and interne.

Admiral's Request Granted.

Rear Admiral Enquist requested permission to bring his ships behind the breakwater for repairs. This request was granted him, and the ships will be moved Tuesday morning.

Narita Goro, Japanese consul, called on Gov. Wright just before Rear Admiral Enquist called and made inquiry regarding the probable disposition of the Russian warships. On leaving Goro met Rear Admiral Enquist in the corridor of the governor's residence and tendered him a profound salutation.

Rear Admiral Enquist and staff then called upon Maj.-Gen. Corbin, to whom Rear Admiral Enquist expressed great gratitude for the hospitality and comfort afforded them and the courtesy with which Gen. Corbin offered the use of the army hospitals, together with surgeons and food for the wounded Russian sailors. Gen. Corbin said:

"Admiral, how many admirals were there in the fight?"

"There were four of us," said the admiral. "The others are in better luck than I."

The tears were streaming down the Russian officer's face as he said this.

WASHINGTON, June 4.—Rear Admiral Train may, in his discretion, extend beyond the 24 hours after reaching Manila the period in which the Russian ships may remain to undergo repairs absolutely necessary to insure their seaworthiness. No further repairs than this will be permitted. It is the right of the Russian ships to take on enough coal and provisions to last until they can reach their nearest home port, which in this instance is Vladivostok.

President to Decide Today.

Whether 14 days can be allowed for repairs is, however, a question which President Roosevelt, Secretary Taft and Secretary Morton will tomorrow decide. The request of Rear Admiral Enquist to be allowed to fill up with coal and supplies is interpreted by some persons to presage his intention to make a dash out of Manila, but the condition of his ships is such that it is confidently thought here his government will direct him to intern them. By the time they were ready to leave Japanese ships would be outside Manila bay ready to pounce on them.

Rear Admiral Train cabled to the navy department this message, received early this morning:

"Admiral Enquist states that the Aurora and Oleg are both seriously damaged and are not seaworthy. The Jemtchug is in bad condition. He makes request to fill up with provisions and coal. Will require 14 days to repair damages. Board ordered to examine and report on condition. One hundred and thirty wounded. Permission granted 50 to be landed."

Gov. Wright has cabled to Secretary Taft from Manila this message:

"Three Russian warships, the Oleg, Jemtchug and Aurora, entered Manila bay. One hundred and forty-three wounded. Admiral in command of Asiatic fleet made inspection and states they are without coal and supplies and unable to proceed."

Another Summer Opening.

P. L. KIMBERLY IS FOUND DEAD

Multi-Millionaire Dies in Chicago Hotel—Sketch of Active Career.

FUNERAL TO BE IN SHARON

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CHICAGO, ILL., June 4.—Peter L. Kimberly of Sharon, Pa., multi-millionaire, principal owner of the Annie Laurie gold mine of Salt Lake, interested in the Twin Falls Land and Irrigation Company of Idaho, director of the Republic Iron and Steel Company, and one of the best-known business men in the country, was found dead in bed at 10 o'clock this morning at the Grand Pacific hotel.

Mr. Kimberly was born in Austintown, O., June 6, 1843, and was a son of Samuel Kimberly, a pioneer coal operator. At the age of 14 years he left Hiram college and went to Sharon, Pa., with his parents and engaged in business with Kimberly, Carnes & Co. In 1868 he bought an interest in the Atlantic iron works, then owned by Alexander Ashton & Co. Eventually Mr. Kimberly became the sole owner of the plant. He was interested in the Atlantic mill in New Castle, Pa. He was a stockholder in the Sharon Boiler Company of Sharon and other interests. He was until a few years ago principal owner of the Greenville (Pa.) rolling mill. Mr. Kimberly was known in the business world as a "plunger."

He made and lost several fortunes and was caught in the panic of 1873, when he lost heavily. When the United States Steel Corporation was formed he sold his Sharon and Greenville mills for nearly $750,000. Realizing the Steel Corporation would need iron ore, he went into the Minnesota regions and bought large mines which he afterward sold to the concern at a handsome profit.

It is estimated he was worth $10,000,000. He made his headquarters in Chicago, but until a few years ago lived in Sharon, which he continued to call his home. He was associated with Frank H. Buhl of Sharon in the Twin Falls Land and Irrigation Company in Idaho, which is said to be one of the greatest projects ever attempted in the West.

Mr. Kimberly was never married. He is survived by one brother, Amos Kimberly, of West Liberty, Ia., and one half-sister, Mrs. Murdock of Salt Lake City. The body will be sent to Sharon and the funeral will be held Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the St. John's Protestant Episcopal church, with interment in Oakwood cemetery.

GUFFEY COMPANY BUYS TEXAS OIL INTERESTS

Deal Involving Six Million Dollars Is Consummated in Pittsburgh.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

AUSTIN, TEX., June 4.—The deal for the sale of the extensive oil interests of the Texas Company to the J. M. Guffey Petroleum Company is said to have been consummated a few days ago at Pittsburgh, Pa.

The consideration is reported to be in the neighborhood of $8,000,000. The property involves several thousand acres of proven oil lands in the several Texas oil fields, oil pipe lines, refinery, tank cars and storage tanks. President J. S. Cullinan of the Texas Company has just returned to Texas from Pittsburgh, where the details of the transaction were agreed upon.

John W. Gates is a heavy stockholder in the Texas Company. A meeting of the stockholders of the company will be held June 13, at which the sale will be ratified. The acquisition of the holdings of this company by J. M. Guffey and associates makes them by far the largest operators in the Texas fields. It practically places the Guffey company in control of the refining and pipe line.

WAR DENOUNCED; PANIC FOLLOWS

Police Are Driven from Russian Meeting, but Return in Large Force.

MANY PERSONS ARE INJURED

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

ST. PETERSBURG, June 4.—At a great demonstration this evening in the Pavlovsk gardens, near Tsarskoe-Selo, the 5,000 persons present clamored for a funeral march in memory of the Russian sailors who had lost their lives in the naval disaster in the sea of Japan. The members of the orchestra became alarmed and fled from the platform when M. Novikoff, former mayor of Baku, rose and said:

"Let us all by rising show respect for the victims. Down with the war. We have had enough of blood."

Some 80 policemen entered from either side of the hall and elbowed their way through the crowd toward M. Novikoff, whereupon cries were raised:

"Let us attack the police!"

Chairs were seized and hurled at the police, the crowd being led by a colonel with a drawn sword. The policemen fled.

Order being restored a number of speeches were delivered on the national crisis. Suddenly the policemen, reinforced to between 200 and 300, again invaded the hall and rushed on the audience with drawn swords. The people defended themselves with chairs and sticks, but after 10 minutes were driven from the hall into the garden, where there was a battalion of Tirailleurs, who raised their rifles to their shoulders, preliminary to the order to fire being given, causing a panic. The public fled toward the exits, and finding them closed smashed the doors and windows of the hall and so gained the streets. Many persons were injured, some so seriously that they had to be taken to the hospital.

M. Novikoff was arrested and the gardens were occupied by police and Cossacks. A strong military force was placed on the road leading from Pavlovsk to Tsarskoe-Selo and to St. Petersburg and at the railway stations. People returning to St. Petersburg from the gardens spread accounts of the affair, which soon became a general topic.

Pavlovsk is 19 miles from St. Petersburg and is a summer resort for inhabitants of the capital. Concerts are given in the gardens there daily and are frequented by fashionable and Bourgeois audiences largely composed of people from St. Peteraburg.

MAKE A DESPERATE ESCAPE.

Three Prisoners Break Jail and Elude More Than One Hundred Pursuers in New Jersey.

MORRISTOWN, N. J., June 4.—(Special.)—Hotly pursued by more than 100 men and boys, Albert Jones, William Stevens and Thomas Buckley, three desperate characters, breaking out of the Morris county jail, ran through the principal part of the town about noon today and escaped over the Show Gum mountains.

While Jones covered the other prisoners in jail with a revolver, Stevens snapped an iron bar on an outside window and ripped off a heavy steel wire screen. The three men then crawled through a hole 12 inches square to the jail yard, from which they escaped by scaling a 15-foot smooth board fence topped with sharp iron spikes. A posse is now hunting them.

Yacht Apache Sighted at Sea.

LONDON, June 4.—The steamship Minnetonka reports that she spoke the American bark Apache, the belated contestant in the trans-Atlantic race for the German emperor's cup, 250 miles west of the Lizard at 7 o'clock this morning.

Ambassador Conger Will Not Retire.

MEXICO CITY, MEXICO, June 4.—(Special.)—Ambassador Conger arrived here today. He says he does not intend to retire late in the summer, as reported, but expects to hold the post here indefinitely.

BREATHITT AGAIN SCENE OF TERROR

Three Are Killed and Seven Wounded in Hargis-Cockrill Factional Battle.

FEUDAL WARFARE RESUMES

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

LEXINGTON, KY., June 4.—In the edge of Breathitt and Morgan counties today there was a feud fight in which three were killed and seven wounded. The dead are Henry Freedman, Harlan Dykes and Andrew Wilson; the wounded, James Wilson, shot in the side, will die; Latcher Davis, shot in leg, not serious; Lee Davis, shot in thigh, dangerous; John Alon, shot in face and arm, serious, and three men whose names are at this time unknown, slightly injured and at large.

The battle is one of the first open battles of the famous Hargis-Cockrill feud, which, after passing the bushwhacking stage, has passed into the courts and now into open hand-to-hand battle. There was a free dinner and fiddling contest given today by Grant Reed at his blind tiger, at which moonshine whisky was given as prizes.

Among the feudists in attendance was Henry Freedman, the "mixed" man, who swore out the warrants for the arrests of the Hargises, for the Cockrill murder, in order to prevent the cases being taken up by the Fayette county grand jury. Trouble was started between him and one of the Cockrill adherents who lived in the neighborhood. Andrew Wilson, who was an enemy of Harlan Dykes, a prominent lumberman, took sides with Freedman and soon the two factions were heavily armed and threatening to open hostilities.

New York Central to Have 18-Hour Train.

NEW YORK, June 4.—(Special.)—Following the announcement that the Pennsylvania railroad, beginning next Sunday, will institute an 18-hour train service between this city and Chicago, it was declared today that the New York Central will meet the cut in time, amounting to two hours less than the present schedule, and as a result, within a fortnight, an exciting speed war will be waged between the two great railways.

SPEAKEASY IS NEAR CHURCH

Illicit Selling Close to Sunday Services in the First Ward.

STORY OF MINISTER

Incident Is Related at the Big Anti-Graft Meeting in Allegheny.

MONEY TO PROCURE EVIDENCE

"While we were holding services in the Methodist mission at Robinson and Corry streets, in the First ward, this evening, a speakeasy was running in full blast just across the street and was running all day. I saw young men under age going in there, and during the evening services eight young men came out and a woman entered the speakeasy with a basket to be filled with bottles to be taken to her home."

This incident of Sunday life in the First ward, Allegheny, was related last night by the Rev. George L. C. Richardson at the big union anti-graft meeting held in the North Avenue Methodist Episcopal church. The church was crowded, many people being forced to stand. The meeting was under the auspices of the Federation of Allegheny Churches, which has been organized since the beginning of the anti-graft crusade on the North Side.

Four stirring speeches were made by prominent ministers, the last one by Mr. Richardson, who spoke briefly of the conditions in the First ward, and making a fervent appeal to the federation to remove the evil influences that surround the children of the district. Mr. Richardson cited the above incident as an example of the kind of life to which the boys and girls of the First ward are subjected. His story made a deep impression.

Saloons and Speakeasies Abound.

"We hail with delight the Federation of Churches and we appeal to you to do your utmost to clean out this neighborhood which is so thoroughly saturated with vice," said the speaker.

"I was always told when advocating prohibition," said the Rev. Dr. E. L. Eaton, following Mr. Richardson, "that when the saloons were closed speakeasies would open. There is no city of its size

The Rev. C. L. C. Richardson.

in the country that has more saloons than Allegheny, and there are 250 speakeasies in this city."

Dr. Eaton is pastor of the church where the meeting was held. He said the license court had held back the graft cases in court, but that now they would be vigorously prosecuted to a finish, and something very interesting was expected to happen within a few days. He asked for contributions of money to pay the expenses of obtaining evidence in the graft cases.

"We already have a wagonload of evidence," stated Dr. Eaton. "Thousands of dollars have been contributed, but the

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WORSE TANGLE IN EQUITABLE

More Resignations in the Directorate Are Promised Soon.

ARE WATCHING HYDE

It Is Declared That the New Committee Will Never Be Organized.

LINCOLN DECLINES OFFER

The Pittsburgh Gazette Bureau, Herald Building, Herald Square, NEW YORK, June 4.

Admittedly worse than at any previous time during the Equitable imbroglio are the conditions that prevail today. If the opinions of directors not controlled by either the Alexander or Hyde factions count for anything, there will be several resignations from the board within the next few days.

With one exception every member of the Frick investigating committee will probably sever his connection from the directorate of the society. The one exception is Smyton Ives, and the opinion was expressed today that Mr. Ives would probably remain on the board of directors until he felt satisfied that he had settled accounts with those who treated the Frick report and the members of the committee personally with ignominy.

Meanwhile, it is conceded that James Hazen Hyde completely dominates the Equitable, and both his friends and opponents are waiting anxiously to see what the first vice president of the society purposes doing. They believe they will have no longer to wait than next Wednesday, when the board of directors will meet. It was at this session that the committee of seven, chosen to submit the names of several men for the election of one as eligible to fill the new office of chairman of the board, was to make its report.

Wailing on Mr. Choate.

This committee will never be organized. D. O. Mills had practically decided today that he would not only not serve on the committee, but that he would tender his resignation as a member of the Equitable directorate. T. Jefferson Coolidge of Boston will probably decide to decline to serve on the committee. Under these circumstances it is practically conceded that the selection of a chairman of the board will be taken up by the board of directors on Wednesday.

On that day Joseph H. Choate, former ambassador to England, who was retained as personal counsel by Mr. Hyde a month or more ago, will probably have arrived. Mr. Choate will probably lose no time in arranging a conference with Mr. Hyde, and from that time forth Mr. Hyde will, it is believed, be largely guided by the advice of his distinguished lawyer. Those who have the interests of Mr. Hyde at heart are placing much store in this new anchor.

The directors will discuss on Wednesday the names of many men who are fitted for the chairmanship of the board, but among themselves there is a diversity of opinion as to the type of man to be selected. Some of the directors are inclined to favor a man of national repute with large business capacity and executive training. Such a man would be Mr. Hyde's choice.

Lincoln Would Not Accept.

On the other hand, many directors are of opinion that the chairman ought to be a man thoroughly learned in life insurance matters. Of the latter class there are said to be men now identified with the Equitable who are well fitted for the position.

A dispatch from Chicago stated that Robert T. Lincoln had declared that in no circumstances would he accept the chairmanship. This was in line with statements by his friends here that no salary would induce him to leave the presidency of the Pullman Palace Car Company to take a position where at least for several months its surroundings would not be altogether harmonious.

The name of George B. Cortelyou, postmaster general, will be discussed, but it may be that the postmaster general will prefer political emoluments rather than take the head of a large financial institution in which at present there is bitter discord between those who are at its head.

Those directors who favor the selection of a chairman who is thoroughly equipped because of his knowledge of the life insurance business, cite the case of John A. McCall, president of the New York Life Insurance Company. Mr. McCall was controller of the Equitable when he was chosen to succeed Mr. Beers in the presidency of the New York Life, and previous to going with the Equitable had been state superintendent of insurance.

Hard to Find a Man.

Those directors who referred today to Mr. McCall's case will do all they can to pick out a life insurance man for the Equitable's chairmanship. All the directors are of opinion that much difficulty will be experienced in getting a man of prominence, a man who has built for himself a reputation to take hold of the Equitable's affairs at this juncture with the chance that his labors toward reorganizing may prove futile.

It is not believed that the selection of a chairman can be made within a month or six weeks. This was the opinion of several directors today, who realize that the choosing of a chairman of the board and the decision of Mr. Hyde as to what disposition he intends to make of his stock holdings are probably as important at this time as any other Equitable matters that are now under discussion. Of equal importance is any action that Francis Hendricks, state superintendent of insurance, is to take on the result of his investigation of the society.

There are no grounds for believing that Mr. Hendricks' investigation will unearth irregularities any more than did the Frick committee. It may be that Mr. Hen-

DEATH HAS DEFEATED HIM

PETER L. KIMBERLY

The multi-millionaire, formerly of Sharon, who after having several fortunes swept away in unfortunate business enterprises, dies leaving a $10,000,000 estate.

dricks will consider it his duty to refer certain matters to the attorney general for the latter's consideration, but there is little probability of that being done. Gov. Higgins is expected to discountenance any legislative investigation, especially after the experience of the present legislature with the gas situation.

Another Clash Expected.

Mr. Hyde is working along lines now without considering Mr. Alexander as a factor in the case. Mr. Alexander is busy, too, and today his lawyers had their full complement of clerks down in the law office. It was impossible to learn what it was that compelled the law clerks to devote Sunday to the preparation of legal documents.

There is expected to be another clash between Messrs. Hyde and Alexander when it comes to the reorganization of the executive committee. Those who form that important committee at present are James W. Alexander, Chauncey M. Depew, William A. Wheelock, Horace C. Deming, Thomas D. Jordan, Valentine P. Snyder, Alvin W. Krech, James H. Hyde, Gage E. Tarbell, Henry C. Frick, George T. Wilson and William H. McIntyre. Mr. Frick's resignation as a director created one vacancy in the executive committee, and it is understood that Mr. Hyde will force Mr. Tarbell off the committee.

Untermyer Is Hopeful.

Samuel Untermyer came down from his country place, Graystone, today, and consulted with Mr. Hyde and other lawyers. He would not say what had been under consideration, Mr. Untermyer did make this statement, however:

"At no time since the trouble began has the prospects for a peaceful and permanent solution, satisfactory to all interests, been so promising as at the moment. Every energy is being directed to that end, and we are sanguine of results."

Acting on legal advice, Mr. Hyde will shortly begin proceedings to determine the question of the syndicate profits that were criticised in the Frick report—most unjustly, we claim. When the subject is fully understood, I am sure every right-minded person will agree that he was morally, as well as legally, entitled to those profits.

"Whatever else may happen, Mr. Hyde will not pause in his determination to have a public investigation of those baseless charges, which are so little understood and which have created such an unreasonable prejudice in the public mind."

Mr. Hyde has three months in which to decide upon a plan that will be satisfactory to himself and to the Equitable directors, as to what disposition he will make of his stock holdings. It was his own proposal, several weeks ago, that he would put his stock in a trust. It is understood that because of the attacks made upon him, Mr. Hyde is unwilling now to carry out that plan at least on the lines he originally planned.

If this determination on the part of Mr. Hyde is adhered to, it is acknowledged that any mutualization of the Equitable is as far distant as it was when the present troubles originated.

REFORMERS NOW GIVE OUT THEIR PRINCIPLES

Philadelphia Committee of Seventy Wants the Ripper Bills Repealed.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

PHILADELPHIA, June 4.—The executive committee of the Committee of Seventy, the reform organization which took a prominent part in the gas lease fight and which had a ticket known as the "City Party," in the field at the last city election, issued its declaration of principles tonight for the coming local political campaign. The declaration says:

"The main end which this committee has in view is the good government of our city by the people and for the people. To accomplish this result is proposes to devote its best efforts as follows:

1. To the election of honest, capable and disinterested officials. And to this end it will aid the constituted authorities by every means in its power in purging the assessors' list and in the honest enforcement of the election laws.

2. In advocating personal registration in obedience to the mandate of the people, which the recent legislature so openly disobeyed.

3. In advocating the repeal of the amendments to the Bullitt bill, which serve to mutilate the best charter we ever had. (The recent legislature amended the city charter so that after Mayor Weaver's term expires councils, and not the mayor, shall have the power of appointing and removing the directors of the departments of public safety and public works.)

4. In insisting upon the following principles in the administration of the city's affairs: That the policy shall be entirely dissociated from politics; that the tenure of office in city departments shall not be dependent upon political contributions or services; that all contracts and proposals for the use or disposition of the city's franchises shall be given the largest publicity and ample time for consideration.

The declaration urges all citizens to organize under the platform of the "City Party" and, continuing, says: "The committee is not advocating municipal ownership, free silver or gold standard, socialism or aristocracy, tariff or free trade, or anything else, except honest officials, fair elections, the repeal of the ripper bill and a 'square deal' for everybody."

Second Death from Fire.

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., June 4.—(Special.)—Henry Bicor, aged 66, a civil war veteran, died in the hospital early this morning, being the second death from burning in a fire which destroyed the Hamlett home in Fifth street last night.

Breaks Up a Crap Game.

Policeman Charles Schultz of Allegheny yesterday afternoon broke up a crap game in a shed in the rear of Western avenue, in which a dozen or more white and negro boys were engaged. They all escaped except George Smith, a negro, aged 17 years, of 1902 Fountain street, who was locked up.

OCEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Arrived, June 4.

New York—Bluecher, from Hamburg, Dover and Boulogne; Pannonia, from Trieste, Piume and Palermo; Umbria, from Liverpool and Queenstown, La Touraine, from Havre; Perugia, from Marseilles, Leghorn, Naples and Palermo; Nord America, from Genoa and Naples.

Copenhagen—United States, from New York via Christiansand.

Liverpool (June 3)—Virginian, from Montreal via Moville; Etruria, from New York via Queenstown (June 4).

Moville—Numidian, from New York for Glasgow, and proceeded.

Southampton—Philadelphia, from New York via Plymouth and Cherbourg.

Piume—Ultonia, from New York via Trieste.

Sailed, June 4.

Glasgow (June 3)—Corinthian, for Montreal, and passed Inishrahull June 4.

Cherbourg—Grosser Kurfurst, from Bremen for New York.

Queenstown—Lucania, from Liverpool for New York.

Dover—Patricia, from Hamburg for New York via Boulogne.

Passed, June 4.

Inishrahull—Lake Erie, from Montreal and Quebec for Liverpool.

Scilly—Kroonland, from New York for Dover and Antwerp; Minnetonka, from New York for London.

Isle of Wight—Breslau, from Baltimore for Bremen.

Brow Head—Canada, from Montreal and Quebec for Liverpool.

TODAY'S AMUSEMENTS.

ALVIN—Grand Opera house's continuous vaudeville, full of 15 acts, 1:30 to 10:45 p. m.

NIXON—Mr. Thomas W. Ross in "Checkers," 8 p. m.

BIJOU—"The Convict's Daughter," 2 and 8 p. m.

DUQUESNE—Thalia Theater Yiddish company in "Kreutzer Sonata," 8 p. m.

EXPOSITION MUSIC HALL—Opening concert of the Pittsburgh District Saengerfest; Madame Lillian Blauvelt and Daniel T. Beddoe, soloists, Pittsburgh orchestra and festival chorus, assisted by Brooklyn's Arion male chorus, 8 p. m.

LUNA PARK—Grant boulevard and Crais street—Grand formal opening and illumination tonight. Concert by London's famous band, "The Red Cockades."

SOUTHERN PARK—Bryant & Saville's minstrels, 8:30 and 8:30 p. m.

WESTINGWOOD PARK—Concerts afternoon and evening by Rosseto's concert band; Dunin-Sedeno troupe, aerial acrobats.

OAKLAND WELSH CHURCH — Oakland Choral club concert, 8 p. m.

THREE FRIENDS SHARE SAD FATE

Two Killed in Mill and the Third Is a Street Car Victim.

TWO OTHERS BADLY HURT

Three streamers of white crepe which flutter from the front doors of three humble tenements in Braddock are badges mutely telling the story of a tragedy there yesterday. Beside the trio of victims claimed by death, two others, burned from head to foot, are tossing on beds of agony. One of the dead men was killed by falling off a street car while returning from a wedding in Duquesne early yesterday morning. His two boon companions met their fate a few hours later by being overcome by gas in a furnace of the Edgar Thomson steel works.

THE DEAD.

PAUL WATUSKO, aged 23 and single; boarded at 1219 Pine alley, Braddock; killed on street car.

MICHAEL HAIDOL, aged 21 and single; boarded at 213 Thirteenth street Braddock; killed in steel works.

JOHN YATSKO, aged 21 and married; lived at 1213 Pine alley, Braddock; killed in steel works.

THE INJURED.

VINCENT NEHART, aged 21, burned over the entire body; taken to his boarding house in Thirteenth street, Braddock.

ANDREW NEMITZ, aged 28, burned over entire body; taken to his boarding house at 1227 Willow alley, Braddock.

All the men were Slavs and were members of St. Michael's Slavonic society, Braddock. About 18 months ago they came to America from the same village in Austria and made the voyage in the same ship. They were constant companions and all had been invited to the wedding of one of their countrymen in Duquesne. Watusko was the only one who could leave his work. At midnight he boarded a car to return to Braddock and in endeavoring to get off at the junction near Homestead was thrown backward against a trolley pole, fracturing his skull. He was dead when picked up.

Haidol and Yatsko, ignorant of their friend's death, were at work at furnace J in the Edgar Thomson steel works. During the afternoon a quantity of slag accumulated in the top of the furnace and the four men were sent to dislodge it. All four were overcome by the fumes and Haidol and Yatsko died before they could be rescued.

SPEAKEASY NEAR CHURCH

Continued from First Page.

men who were originally in this movement have turned it over to this organization and have disappeared. It is up to us to carry on the movement."

Politics in It, Says McMillan.

The contributions were numerous and liberal in response to Dr. Eaton's appeal and a large number of the congregation signed cards signifying their desire to become members of the federation. Other addresses were delivered by the Rev. Dr. Thomas Park, pastor of the Fourth United Presbyterian church; the Rev. Dr. W. H. H. McMillan, pastor of the Second United Presbyterian church; the Rev. T. Ross Paden, pastor of the Westminster Presbyterian church.

With the exception of Dr. McMillan, the speakers were all heartily in favor of the federation lending its efforts to the prosecution of city officials accused of grafting.

"I say amen to the prosecution of the graft cases in court, but it was started by politicians who want to get into offices, and we should leave the prosecutions to them," said Dr. McMillan. "Our plan should be to confine our forces to preparation for the election of the next mayor, to see that an honest and upright mayor is chosen. Across the river in Pittsburgh things are just as bad as they are in Allegheny.

Church People to Blame.

"The people who are really to blame for this condition of affairs are not so much the mayor, the councilmen and other officials at the City hall as are the Christian people of this city who permit these things to be done. They stay at home on election day and the vicious element always votes. Knowing that this element always votes and we do not vote, the politicians make promises to that element and keep these promises after election. As Christian voters we ought to be ashamed of ourselves."

Dr. Eaton took exception to Dr. McMillan's size-up of the situation. When Dr. McMillan concluded, Dr. Eaton said: "Dr. McMillan said that the present administration inherited these practices from the preceding administration. What we want to do is to stop this practice so that the next administration will not have anything of the kind to inherit."

"The state of affairs existing in this city is exceedingly disreputable to us," said the Rev. T. Ross Paden. "As citizens of Allegheny we are responsible for it, and if this state of affairs exists much longer it will exist with our consent. Something ought to be done and I believe that anything that ought to be done can be done. Public sentiment is almost omnipotent when aroused.

Public Sentiment Is Powerful.

"There are enough people on the church rolls of Allegheny to suppress these things, and the church people of the city are in the majority. I don't believe the church people of Allegheny want these things to continue, and being in the majority they have the right to put a stop to them."

The Rev. Dr. Thomas Park delivered an eloquent 10-minute address on the "Divine Ideal of the Perfect City." He said the divine ideal of the perfect city was the prohibition of vice, the development of righteousness, supreme good to its citizens and the reign of peace. By peace he said he did not mean the kind of peace that evildoers want in asking to be let alone. It must be the peace that is founded on righteousness. In the development of righteousness, he said, it devolved upon the citizens to shut up the maelstroms of evil in their city and to make it as hard as possible to transgress the law and to make it easy to live a righteous life.

KILLED IN HIS HOME.

Brewery Agent Is Shot by Unknown Person, While Eating Lunch With Family.

NEW CASTLE, June 4.—(Special.)—John Pete, an agent of the New Castle Brewing Company, was killed while he sat at a table eating a lunch with his family at Hillsville, about 12:30 o'clock this morning. The shot fired through a window was almost instantly fatal. The assassin escaped. Pete was 45 years of age and leaves his widow and four children.

The body was brought to this city this morning and Dr. John Foster and Coroner Cox held a post mortem examination. Coroner Cox summoned a jury today and will investigate the case. The authorities have not yet obtained any clue and the motive is unknown.

Invalid Falls on the Street.

Thomas Zook of 1726 Franklin street, Allegheny, was found on West Robinson street at 5:30 p. m. yesterday very ill and taken to the Allegheny General hospital. He has been in poor health lately and while walking along the street was seized with an attack and fell unconscious to the sidewalk. His condition is serious.

ST. LUKE'S PARISH 140 YEARS OLD

Church Made Historic During Whisky Insurrection Is Scene of Celebration.

RECALLS WAR OF REVOLUTION

Hundreds of members and friends of the historic old parish of St. Luke's, Woodville, gathered yesterday afternoon in the church to celebrate the 140th anniversary of the establishment of the congregation, which is the oldest Protestant Episcopal parish in Western Pennsylvania, and one of the first churches of any denomination in the state. During the service a bronze tablet to the memory of the Rev. Frank Steed, a former rector, was unveiled.

The service was opened by the Rev. W. E. Allen, assisted by the venerable the Rev. F. L. Cole, archdeacon of the Pittsburgh diocese; the Rev. R. W. Grange, D. D., of the Church of the Ascension, Pittsburgh; the Rev. W. L. H. Benton, Church of the Nativity of Crafton, and the Rev. J. L. Taylor of Oakmont. Archdeacon Cole and the Rev. Dr. Grange delivered short addresses on the life of the Rev. Steed. The services in the church ended soon after 4 o'clock, when all retired to the little church yard, and the tablet to the Rev. Steed's memory was unveiled. The grave is near the church door. The head stone is a cross of granite and inscribed upon it are the words "Resting. Rev. Frank Steed—1842—1903."

The ceremonies were opened with an address by the Rev. W. L. H. Benton, who spoke of the Rev. Steed's lofty purpose, his beautiful life and his many kind deeds. He introduced A. G. Barnett, president of the Parish club of the Church of the Nativity, who removed the white veil that covered the tablet in the church wall. Archdeacon Cole pronounced the benediction. The tablet was subscribed by the congregation, of which the Rev. Steed was rector for many years. It is of bronze, about two by three feet, and inscribed:

In memory of
The Reverend Frank Steed,
Entered into rest September 20, 1903.
Aged 61 years.

Early History of Church.

The Rev. Steed's efforts to keep interest alive in the old church have made his life a part of St. Luke's history. He expressed a wish to be interred in the quaint old churchyard. Seven years ago he enlisted the aid of a few people of the diocese, chief among whom was Frank Armstrong of Crafton, who gave liberally. The work of rebuilding the edifice was directed by William H. Hazlett of Carnegie, and on Wednesday, April 5, 1899, the old church was reopened by Bishop Cortlandt Whitehead. Holy communion was celebrated and a large number were confirmed. It was just 40 years since the last confirmation in the church.

The church is the oldest in the Episcopal denomination west of the Alleghany mountains, and, as nearly as can be ascertained, was founded in 1765. It was used at the time by a chaplain of the British army which had a post there. Major William Lea, who came to this country with the Ford expedition, gave the site. The records show that it consisted of a lot 10 perches square. The church was built by Gen. Johnson Neville, his son, Pressley Neville, Major Isaac Craig and others.

There is an unfortunate blank in the history of the church, as the records from 1769 to 1790 were burned during the "Whisky insurrection," so that not even the army chaplain's name is to be had. It is thought that he was the first rector. The records show that in 1790 or 1791 Francis Reno was educated by Gen. Neville and later ordained as rector of the church of Chartiers by Bishop White. He remained but a short time, as the "Whisky insurrection" broke out and many families left the neighborhood, as did also the Rev. Reno. The building then fell into decay.

Angry People Burned Church.

Gen. Neville was appointed by President Washington to collect the tax on whisky, this being the first tax levied on liquor. The people rose against it and one night burned the general's home and also applied the torch to the old church, completely destroying it. Several efforts to revive the church failed until 1851, when the Rev. Theodore Layman, who was conducting Trinity Mission in Pittsburgh, began meetings in a Methodist Episcopal church near by.

The following winter he revived interest in St. Luke's church, and the next September a corner stone was laid. As soon as possible the church was occupied, but before its completion, ill health compelled the Rev. Layman to resign. July 24, 1853, the edifice was finished and the Rev. Richard Smith was installed as pastor. February 2d, 1854, Rt. Rev. Bishop Potter consecrated the historic house of worship. In April, 1859, the Rev. Smith resigned on account of ill health, and not until 1859 did the church have a pastor. Then William F. Feltwell, a lay-reader, was called. He continued until May 31 of that year, when he resigned. The Rev. Gustave Mayer was installed the first Sunday in Advent, 1861, and served until Trinity Sunday, 1863, when he accepted a call to the diocese of Maryland. In the fall of 1898 the Rev. Dr. B. B. Killikelly accepted an invitation of the vestry to take charge for six months. He was succeeded by the Rev. William Murphy of the Maryland diocese. This was in 1867 and in 1868 he was called to another field. In the summer of 1871 James Miller, a student of theology at the seminary at Nashotah, Wis., a candidate for orders in the Pittsburgh diocese, conducted lay services. In the fall he returned to Nashotah and the church closed. He returned the next summer and again conducted services for a short time, when the old church again closed, not to be reopened for nearly 20 years. In 1898 the Rev. Frank Steed began his labors.

In the church yard rest many who assisted in making American history. The grave of the first person born in the Chartiers valley is marked by a granite headstone. Her name, Jane Lea Nixon, is inscribed on it, together with the statement of her being the first white child born in the valley. Several of her descendants were present yesterday, including Samuel W. Lea, superintendent of the Allegheny county poor farm; Robert C. Lea, Adda A. Lea, Leonora Lea, William N. Lea and H. J. Bear and his son Gilmore Lea Bear. John McCollough, the only living member of the original vestry, and who entered the vestry 40 years ago, was present. Many queer epitaphs are to be seen in the church yard. One to the memory of Capt. David Steel reads:

"This world's a fares and all things show it.
I once thought it and now I know it."

RUSSIAN GOVERNMENT PUTS ON BOLD FRONT

Czar Issues a Ukase for the Suppression of Revolutionary and Anti-War Sentiment.

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

ST. PETERSBURG, June 5.—The Russian government has shown that it has not weakened in this hour of disaster. Instead of yielding to the stormy demands which the radicals hoped Admiral Rojestvensky's defeat would force the government to grant, the emperor issued a ukase yesterday conferring greatly increased powers upon Governor General Trepoff, making him assistant minister of the interior in place of Maj.-Gen. Rydzefsky, who is made a senator; also chief of the department of police and commander of the corps of the gendarmerie.

Gen. Trepoff is given the right by the ukase to close all assemblies and congresses, to suspend indefinitely all societies, leagues and other bodies manifesting pernicious activity and to take all other steps necessary to preserve order so as to prevent interference with the established regime and to suppress the revolutionary propaganda.

The document is of the deepest importance in the present state of Russia and indicates that the government, while steadily proceeding in its plans for the fulfilment of the imperial promises contained in the rescript of March 3, is determined not to be swerved from its purpose by the pressure of military and naval disasters, but in its own time to give the nation the legislative body on which the Buligan commission has been working.

TRIPLE ALLIANCE POWER FOR PEACE

Dr. W. J. Holland, Home from Europe, Says It Is Popular in England.

DUKES ADMIRE CARNEGIE

Dr. W. J. Holland, director of the Carnegie museum, returned home yesterday morning after spending two months in London where he superintended the erection of a fac-simile of the prehistoric diplodocus in the British museum. In crossing the Atlantic on the steamship New York daily bulletins were received by wireless telegraphy informing the passengers of the progress of the great naval battle between the fleets of Russia and Japan, and when the news of Togo's victory was announced Dr. Holland says an impromptu ratification of the prowess of the little brown sailors was held on the New York's deck while she was in mid-ocean.

"I discovered that no sentiment which I could utter," said Dr. Holland, "was more popular with an English audience than the expression of the hope that the two great branches of the English-speaking race may henceforth and forever, if disagreeing, still agree and compose whatever difficulties may possibly arise in the forum of reasonable debate and not by force of arms. When Mr. Choate said 'war between England and America would be an unthinkable calamity,' he only uttered what is believed today by every sensible Englishman and every sensible American. I am inclined to think that with the United States in America, England in Europe, and Japan in Asia, standing together for the maintenance of the world's peace, that peace will be kept, if not absolutely, yet better than ever before."

Dukes Like Carnegie.

Asked if he saw much of Mr. Carnegie Dr. Holland answered:

"Of course I saw much of Mr. Carnegie. We had many pleasant hours together. He saw to it that I was invited to the functions given in his honor during his stay in London, and at the presentation of the replica of the diplodocus to the British museum he was the central figure. I attended the dinner of the Iron and Steel institute at the Hotel Cecil, at which Mr. Carnegie presented medals to the successful contestants during the year. I observed that the dukes present on that occasion seemed to admire him, our entire amity and even familiarity marked his meeting with the senior duke of England, the duke of Norfolk, who is the one man who has the right to keep his hat on in the presence of the king.

"At a dinner in Skinner's hall I found myself pleasantly seated between E. Ray Lankester and Frederic Harrison, the positivist and writer on economics. Mr. Harrison is one of the best known men in literary London. I left the dining hall without waiting for the musical concert which followed, in order to go to the soiree of the Royal Society, at which I had an exhibit. An invitation to make this exhibit had been made by the secretary a couple of weeks before. It consisted principally of photos of fossils contained in the collections in the Carnegie museum, together with a small replica of the diplodocus and the skull of the beast.

Met Many Prominent Men.

"I was pleased to find that the exhibit had much attraction for the people who were assembled. Among others whom I met and with whom I conversed were Sir Oliver Lodge, credited with being the original inventor of the Marconi system; James Bryce, with whom I had taken dinner a few days before at the house of commons; Sir Archibald Geikie, secretary of the Royal Society; Prof. Seeley of King's college, London, and a host of others equally prominent. My last two Sundays in England were spent—one at Cambridge and the other in Oxford. At Cambridge I was the guest of Sir Robert S. Ball and Lady Ball at the observatory.

"When I first went to England 30 years ago I carried a Baedecker's guidebook in hand and studied the churches, the tower of London and the abbey in Westminster —in short, the outside of things. In the lapse of years, this has become changed, and now the interest of a journey to England to me is found, not so much in places, as in persons. I have brought away with me the most pleasant recollections of sweet English homes; the storied halls of universities where I was welcomed and where I was very much at home, but above all I bring back an abiding conviction of the general good will which thinking and intelligent Englishmen bear toward our own country."

USES FRIEND'S KNIFE TO CUT HIS THROAT

George Coffeen of McKeesport Kills Himself on His Thirty-Fifth Birthday.

Running his thumb along the edge of a sharp shoemaker's knife in the shop of George Volke in McKeesport at 9 o'clock last night, George Coffeen of Tubs Works alley, McKeesport, asked his friend: "Do you think I could cut my throat with this, George?"

Volke with a laugh replied: "Maybe you could," thinking Coffeen was joking.

"I'll just take a chance anyway," replied Coffeen, and he drew the sharp blade across his throat, cutting it from ear to ear. He fell dead on the floor of the shoemaker's shop.

Yesterday was his 35th birthday and he went to Volke's shop to talk last evening. The evening was spent pleasantly by the men and Coffeen gave no intimation that he contemplated suicide. Just before Coffeen took his life he talked of his trouble. A week ago Coffeen's wife and little daughter disappeared from home and since then he has been melancholy.

About a month ago Coffeen and Harry Osborn quarreled at the former's home and Osborn shot Coffeen, inflicting a slight wound. Osborn was held for trial at court and a week ago Coffeen came to Pittsburgh in connection with the case. When he returned home he discovered his family had disappeared.

HENRY C. FRICK DECLINES TO MAKE A STATEMENT

Former Director of the Equitable Life Assurance Society Returns to Pittsburgh.

H. C. Frick, who resigned last week from the directorate of the Equitable Life Assurance society, returned home yesterday from New York, where he had spent a fortnight in an investigation of the life insurance company's affairs. Mr. Frick spent all day yesterday at his home at Penn and Homewood avenues, and during the afternoon was in consultation with some local representatives of the company. Mr. Frick refused to make a statement regarding the status of affairs in the Equitable or to amplify the announcement of his reasons for offering his resignation.

"Mr. Frick will make no public statements at this time," said his secretary yesterday afternoon. "He has found many matters awaiting his attention since arriving from the east, and has no plans as to when he will return to New York."

It is understood that Mr. Frick will remain in Pittsburgh until he closes his Pittsburgh house for the summer prior to going to Magnolia Beach on the Massachusetts coast.

THREE CHICAGO CHURCHES ARE STRUCK BY LIGHTNING

CHICAGO, June 4.—During a thunderstorm today three churches were struck by lightning and two of them were destroyed; several other buildings were struck and damaged. The total loss is $200,000. The two churches destroyed were Unity church in Oak Park and Sacramento Avenue Methodist Episcopal church. North Englewood Congregational church was damaged. The churches were empty.

TOGO VISITS WOUNDED FOE

Condoles With Rojestvensky, Who Is Deeply Moved—Latter Will Lose Leg.

CAPTURE FURTHER DETAILED

[Special Cable to The Gazette.]
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LONDON, June 4.—The Daily Telegraph's Tokyo correspondent wires:

During yesterday and today I have received from special correspondents at the naval base of Sasebo an interesting series of telegrams describing many hitherto unrecorded incidents of the naval battle in the Japan sea. A dispatch from Sasebo Friday says:

Admiral Togo called upon Admiral Rojestvensky at 2 o'clock on the afternoon of June 2, at Sasebo, in the naval hospital. The attitude of Togo was one of gentleness and meekness. With evident sincerity he solemnly and quietly condoled with Rojestvensky in his present sad circumstances, asked about his wounds and spoke in softest tones. It was a great scene. In the white and orderly ward Rojestvensky, who was wrapped in bandages and was pale and haggard, raised his body from the bed and rested on his elbows. Togo told him it was not for such acknowledgment that he had come.

Rojestvensky Deeply Moved.

He praised the desperately courageous fight of the Russians and expressed the hope that Vice Admiral Rojestvensky would soon be able to return to Russia. Rojestvensky was deeply moved by the admiral's words and thanked him. He congratulated Japan on the courage and patriotism of her sailors and said it lessened his regret and the sorrow of defeat to know the high character of the victors. After a few minutes' conversation, both speaking indifferent English, Togo left the ward. Rojestvensky was wounded in six places, and it is reported that one of his legs will have to be amputated.

The officers of the Japanese destroyer Sasanami have given me fuller details of the capture of Rojestvensky. Their narrative is as follows: At 10 o'clock on the morning of May 28 we, together with a certain warship, were ordered to search for the remnants of the enemy. Soon we discovered two of the enemy's destroyers cutting through the water for all they were worth. As we neared them we opened fire from all our guns. One of the Russian destroyers forged ahead. It was impossible to catch her, and she escaped. The second one did not change her course, and moreover, did not return our cannonading. Suddenly to the top of the mast ran a white flag, and astern fluttered the emblem of the Red Cross. We signaled, "What is your condition?"

Signals Admiral's Presence.

A few moments' delay occurred, and then little signal flags appeared. We read the Russian reply as follows: "We are damaged. We have been shot through the engine room. We have Rojestvensky on board. We are short of fresh water. Altogether, there is the admiral and his staff aboard."

Examining officers were told off, and with drawn swords and their escort with bayonets fixed, went over to the Russian destroyer, which we could make out as the Biedovy. Besides Rojestvensky we found the chief and eight other of the officers of his staff. We were amazed at the haul. We were about to take the necessary steps to attend to the wounded when a throng of Russian officers assembled around Rojestvensky, clasped their hands as if in prayer, and exclaimed: "Please be merciful. The wounds of Rojestvensky are serious. If you remove him to the Japanese ship these wounds may be broken, and he will fall into a dangerous state. Please, we pray you, leave him as he is now."

"Rojestvensky was lying at the bottom of the destroyer amid a pool of fresh blood. He was in a semi-conscious state. The scene was an impressive one. After a while, being pitiful at the condition of the Russian officer, we felt sorry at heart and after a short consultation it decided to grant the request. Four of the principal Russian staff officers were taken on board the Sasanami and our examining officers were left behind. Rojestvensky lay helpless in the destroyer, surrounded by his officers. A towline was passed from the Japanese vessel to the Russian ship and with our burden astern we conveyed him to Sasebo.

As soon as the Russian officers and sailors already prisoners at our base heard that their admiral was our captive, they were filled with anguish and heartrending scenes were witnessed.

PARRY ON HIS GUARD.

Has Known of Plot for a Year of Union Men to Kill Him.

INDIANAPOLIS, June 4.—(Special.)—The partial development by a Chicago grand jury yesterday of a plot on the part of organized labor leaders to murder David M. Parry, president of the National Association of Manufacturers, and also for a year past of the Citizens' Industrial association, the anti-labor union organization, has developed information in this city that Parry has been apprised of such a plot for a year and that he has been constantly on his guard. Two men once watched to slug him in a tunnel, and two lay in wait for him at his home.

CHICAGO, June 4.—Representatives of both the teamsters and employers today declared the strike would go on.

Big Fire at Milwaukee.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., June 4.—The Milwaukee exposition building, occupying a city block, was destroyed by fire this evening. The loss is $500,000; insurance, $75,000. The fire is supposed to have been started from an electric light wire.

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TWO CONFERENCES AT WHITE HOUSE

President Confers With the German Ambassador and French Charge on Peace.

APPRECIATED BY RUSSIANS

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, June 4.—Baron Speck von Sternberg, the German ambassador, spent two hours in conference with President Roosevelt at the White House tonight. As he left at 11 o'clock the ambassador said he could not discuss the subject of his talk with the president, as it related to matters of entirely confidential character. There is every reason to believe, however, that much of the time was occupied with a discussion of the general question of the war between Russia and Japan and the possibility of peace. The ambassador, in response to a direct question regarding the prospect of peace said that so far as he knew there had been no progress in that direction in the past 24 hours.

President Roosevelt, immediately after returning to the White House from church today, received and for an hour talked with Mr. Hugh O'Beirne, first secretary and charge d'affaires of the British embassy. The subject of peace was discussed. It is believed the president has suggested to the great neutral powers that, inasmuch as Russia has already rebuffed offers of good offices made singly by various powers, it would be advantageous for all the governments which hope for peace to impress upon Russia their opinion that she should no longer fight on. The conferences President Roosevelt this week has had with diplomats seems to bear out the belief that he is sounding all governments.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 5.—President Roosevelt's tender of his good offices to bring about peace is received with general favor in the press and by the public, and a desire that some steps should be taken toward securing an honorable peace is increasingly manifest.

The Russ declares that the president's offer should be commended as an act of friendship tending to bring out Japan's terms of peace and Russia's acceptance of an offer which would not mean surrender or humiliating terms.

The Bourse Gazette says Russia must make the best possible use of the friendly offices of the United States and Great Britain. This paper, as well as the Rous Telegrafa and the Nashashian and others, advances the idea that Japan will be disposed to grant better terms to the Russian people than to the bureaucrats who began the war.

Members of the diplomatic corps express their pleasure that President Roosevelt had taken the lead in urging Russia to give up the prosecution of the war, but they said they were apprehensive that the president's efforts would be fruitless.

Varsity Crew Stroke Is Dead.

PHILADELPHIA, June 4.—Robert C. Crowell of Worcester, Mass., stroke of the University of Pennsylvania varsity crew, died today of typhoid fever. He was 21 years of age and was a senior at the university.

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ARE DISCUSSING I. K. CAMPBELL

Friends of the Old Soldier Mention Him for Commissionership Vacancy.

SUCCESSOR OF JUDGE DEAN

There was a new name brought into the county commissionership yesterday. Friends of I. K. Campbell are putting him forth as an excellent man for the county to appoint as the successor to J. Carson Mercer. It is not probable that Mr. Campbell has any knowledge that his name is being used.

Mr. Campbell is an old soldier and has taken a prominent part in the Soldiers' Civic league. He is engaged in the steel industry and is a man of wide business experience. Mr. Campbell lives in the Nineteenth ward.

Since the announcement that John A. Bell, president of the Colonial Trust Company, is talked of for the vacancy in the commissioners' office, there has been much discussion of his probable candidacy among members of the Republican organization. They believe that he would make a good commissioner and could meet all the requirements a man must possess to secure the appointment at the hands of the nine common pleas judges. From present indications, the appointment will go to men like Bell or Campbell. The judges are said to be anxious to name a representative business man.

Supreme Court Vacancy.

So far nothing has been done toward the filling of the vacancy on the supreme court bench, caused by the death of Justice John Dean of Blair county. Friends of Gov. S. W. Pennypacker are hopeful that he will decide to accept a Republican nomination and continue as executive until after the fall election. So far there has been no definite statement from the governor, but a number of his associates are of the opinion that he will decide to finish his term as governor.

Should Gov. Pennypacker not become a candidate for supreme court justice, it is hard to say what section of the state will capture the nomination. If the governor appoints a man to fill the vacancy, his appointee will doubtless be the nominee of the state committee, when it meets late in August or early in September. Allegheny county or the western end of the state does not have much chance of securing the appointment, even though there are numerous men capable of filling Justice Dean's place. Allegheny, Fayette and Indiana counties have three of the six judges. Two more live in Philadelphia and the sixth comes from Lancaster. This grouping of the justices would probably prevent either the eastern or western ends of the state from securing the appointment or nomination. The middle section will put forward a claim, as it was in that part of the state Justice Dean resided.

Bell a Candidate.

Blair county Republicans have indorsed Judge Martin Bell of Hollidaysburg for the appointment. If he were to be nominated, Hollidaysburg would have two places on the Republican state ticket, as the Blair county seat is the home of J. Lee Plummer, the nominee for state treasurer. This is not likely to happen. Snyder county has a candidate in A. W. Potter, and York is putting forth H. C. Niles, president of the State Bar association. It is probable that Judge John Stewart of Franklin will also be an aspirant.

The northeastern end of the state is in a position to make a strong claim for the nomination. It has a big population and is not represented on the supreme court bench. A year ago when Justice McCullum's successor was nominated, the friends of Judge H. M. Edwards of Lackawanna made a good fight for him. They will no doubt be in the contest again. The northwest may also ask for recognition, although it has two members of the supreme court in Judges Henderson E. Crawford and Morrison E. McKean. Judge Emory Walling of Erie is considered good timber for the highest court and it may be that an effort will be made to put him to the front as a candidate. W. E. Rice of Warren is also being mentioned as a possibility. In the western end of the state, ex-Judge W. D. Wallace of New Castle is a candidate.

Appointment for Dr. Koenig.

Dr. Adolph Koenig of Edgewood is considered to be sure of receiving an appointment as a member of the advisory board of the state health department. The announcement yesterday that he had been named as health commissioner was incorrect. It may be that he will be chosen for the head of the department, but his friends are of the opinion he is to be one of the six members of the advisory board. The position is not a salaried one and the duties consist in assisting the commissioner in the prevention of disease and the protection of lives and health.

None of the numerous appointments to be made by the governor will be announced until he has decided upon a head of the state department of health, the superintendent of the state constabulary and the chief appointments in the other departments. The governor in most cases has as much time as he desires to select the men, and he never moves rapidly in the filling of offices. It is supposed that one of the companies of 50 men in the state constabulary service will be located in Allegheny county, but the governor has not confirmed this report. He will not make the selection of men until he has secured an efficient superintendent of the force. He is said to be desirous of naming a West Point graduate or some one that has considerable military experience.

The committee that is drafting the new rules for the government of the Republican party in county, city, borough and townships will resume its labors today. It is probable that the committee will include as a part of the final report a recommendation in favor of the enactment of new primary and registration laws.

ANNOUNCES APPOINTMENTS.

Bishop Whitehead Names Committee on 300th Anniversary Thank-Offering Home Mission Fund.

During the year 1907 will occur the 300th anniversary of the first celebration in this country of holy communion by the Protestant Episcopal church, which took place at Jamestown, Va., in 1607. It was determined at the last general convention, held in Boston last October, to interest Episcopalians throughout the United States in the collection of a gigantic fund to be devoted to the work of the board of missions of that church and to be known as a "Thank Offering," for blessings bestowed during the 300 years.

At the last general convention a central committee of three, consisting of David H. Greer, George C. Thomas and George W. Pepper of Philadelphia, was appointed to take charge of this work, in which they are to be aided by a district committee in every diocese throughout the United States, the members of each district committee to be appointed by the bishop of the diocese in which they are to serve.

The Rt. Rev. Cortlandt Whitehead, bishop of Pittsburgh, has appointed the following gentlemen as the district committee for the Pittsburgh diocese, which includes a large part of Western Pennsylvania:

Chairman, the Rev. Dr. J. H. McIlvaine, rector of Calvary church; the Rev. Dr. E. W. Gamage, rector of the Church of the Ascension; the Rev. Dr. C. A. Braeden, rector of St. Matthew's church, Homestead; the Rev. Dr. Laurens McLure, rector of St. Thomas' church, Oakmont; the Rev. Dr. F. J. Mallett, rector of St. John's church, Sharon, and the Rev. Dr. Lloyd, the Rev. L. F. Cole, archdeacon of the diocese of Pittsburgh; the Rev. Francis C. Hartshorne, rector of St. Paul's church, Kittanning; the Rev. J. D. Hills, rector of Christ church, Oil City, and the following laymen: George C. Burgwin, Dr. Francis Henry Wade, C. E. E. Childers and N. P. Hyndman, Pittsburgh; Turner W. Shacklett, Erie; William J. Mullins, Franklin, and William A. Cornelius, McKeesport. The "thank offering" is to be entirely independent of the annual apportionment which each diocese gives for the support of missions.

Party in Our Alley.

Clarence Harris was fined $5 and costs yesterday on a charge of keeping a disorderly house in Our alley. Six visitors were fined $1 and costs each.

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MASKED BURGLAR ROBS RESIDENCE

Thieves Visit Two Families and Five Firms During the Dark Hours.

ROPE CLIMBERS ARE AT WORK

Two families and five firms were visited by burglars between midnight and dawn yesterday. The most daring exploit was that of a masked burglar who worked in his shirt sleeves. This was at 1½ Miller street, occupied by the families of Abraham Cohen and Harry Schwartz.

The first and third floors are occupied by the Cohens and the second floor by Schwartz, and his aged and invalid mother. The thief entered through the kitchen window about 3 a. m., and going to the second floor, went to Schwartz's room. He took Schwartz's trousers into the hall and found $8 in the pockets. Returning, he secured two gold watches and chains valued at $75, and a $100 diamond stud. Then he turned his attention to a trunk, but as he was forcing it Mrs. Schwartz awoke. She cannot speak English and she asked the robber in Hebrew what he wanted. The man replied, but Mrs. Schwartz did not understand him and she screamed to her son, who was sleeping in the same room. The burglar ran out of the front door and disappeared. Mrs. Schwartz says the robber was a white man, was masked and wore no coat. She does not think she could identify him.

About 2 o'clock a burglar entered the apartments of Myer Axlewood at 15 Tannehill street, gaining entrance through the kitchen by turning the key with a pair of pliers from the outside. The family occupies three rooms, Mr. and Mrs. Axlewood sleeping in the front room and Mrs. Axlewood's brother in the adjoining room. Mrs. Axlewood's $55 gold watch and chain were on the kitchen mantel, and these the thief secured. The burglar stumbled over a chair and awoke Mrs. Axlewood. She jumped out of bed, but the burglar made a hurried exit and escaped. This is the third time thieves have been about this house within a week. Between 3 and 4 o'clock Friday morning two men tried to effect an entrance, but were scared away. Shortly after midnight last Tuesday Mrs. Axlewood saw a negro peering into her diningroom window.

Four firms in Fifth avenue were visited. They are Abe Wechsler and Freiburg & Nevin of $20; L. Gordon & Co. of $22; A. Bernstein & Co. of $24 and another concern at $28. These firms are clothing manufacturers and jobbers.

The burglars gained entrance to $20 through a skylight, lowering themselves by a rope to Wechsler's place on the third floor. They broke open desks and drawers and scattered the stock all over the floor, but secured nothing, as they evidently were searching only for money. Then they descended to the second floor, occupied by Freiburg & Nevin. Here they secured several dollars' worth of postage stamps, and again scattered the stock. Reaching the roof again by climbing the rope, the burglars entered the next three buildings, but apparently secured nothing, although they left a scene of great disorder behind.

Large Sum for New Parsonage.

The Rev. Thomas Boyle, D. D., LL. D., presiding elder, was present at the services of the Sewickley Methodist Episcopal church yesterday assisting in raising subscriptions to cover the cost of the parsonage which the church contemplates building. The sum raised was $16,000, divided into shares of $12 each. These were nearly all taken at the services yesterday. The new parsonage will be erected on the site of the old one in Broad street.

Graduates Hear a Sermon.

The baccalaureate sermon to the 81 graduates of the McKeesport High school was preached in High School hall last evening by the Rev. Dr. J. W. Miles, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church. The hall was crowded. A musical program, under the direction of Prof. J. K. Spangler, instructor of music in the public schools, was rendered. The commencement exercises will be held at the same place Thursday evening.

Tramp Goes to Girl's Rescue.

UNIONTOWN, June 4.—(Special.)—As Miss Nora Engle, 18 years old, was returning to her home in Grant street last night, she was seized by a man who dragged her to a vacant field. A tramp who was sleeping nearby was awakened by the struggle and he came to the girl's aid. The assailant fled. The crime was reported to the police, who, with citizens, are making a thorough search for the man.

CHURCH IS DEDICATED AMID GORGEOUS PAGEANT

Servians of Wilmerding Parade Streets With Brass Bands and End the Services With a Banquet.

Two Thousand Servians attended the consecration of the Servian Orthodox Church of St. Nicholas at Wilmerding, yesterday, and tendered an ovation to the Most Rev. Archbishop Tikhon, archbishop of the Servian Orthodox Catholic church and head of the church in America. The ceremonies were held at noon and were preceded by a large street parade, in which 1,000 members of Servian societies and seven brass bands acted as an escort to the archbishop, who was drawn through the streets of the Servian district, which were a mass of bunting and flags, in a gorgeously decorated carriage drawn by four white horses.

The services were conducted on a large platform in front of the church in State street. The church was consecrated by the Very Rev. Sebastian Dadovich, director of the Servian churches of America, assisted by the Rev. John Medzelmitsky of Pittsburgh and the Rev. S. Zojodich of McKeesport, and the Rev. J. Keyko, who is in charge of Wilmerding. At the close of the services $650 in cash and $250 in pledges was raised toward the payment of the $2,000 debt of the church. During the afternoon and evening the consecration festivities were conducted in the Wilmerding auditorium, and a banquet given to the visiting clergymen and Servians.

The festivities closed with a gorgeous display of fireworks in front of the church building. The St. Nicholas church is the sixth Servian Orthodox church to be consecrated in this country. The building was purchased recently from the United Brethren congregation of Wilmerding.

Park Services Are Begun.

The first park service of the summer was held last evening in West Park, Allegheny, at 6:15 o'clock. The circular bandstand was used for the music stand and pulpit. Sacred selections were rendered by the Grand Army band, a cornet solo by Mr. Sneary, an anthem by the chorus of the Second Presbyterian church, and Pastor S. Edward Young made the address on "The Sorely-Needed Gospel of Contentment." Over 2,000 persons were present.

Preaches Baccalaureate Sermon.

The Rev. Dr. Carr of the faculty of the Pennsylvania College for Women delivered the baccalaureate sermon to the graduating class of that institution in the Third Presbyterian church, Fifth avenue, yesterday morning. In the evening the Rev. S. A. Martin, president of the college, delivered a sermon. Both services were largely attended by students and friends.

Too Late for Loafing.

Two young women and five men, arrested for corner loafing at 11 o'clock Saturday night, at Fifth avenue and Chatham street, were discharged with a warning yesterday morning.

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Broadcloth Suit, Paquin model, reduced from $75.00 to $35.00
Broadcloth Suit, pale blue, slightly mussed, reduced from $125.00 to $33.75
Black Voile Suit, lace collar, silk drop lining, reduced from $90.00 to $45.00
Fishnet Voile Suit, black, reduced from $55.00 to $27.50
Three Suits, two of blue and one of black serge, reduced from $65.00 each to, each $32.50
Four Suits, three of black and one of gray eolienne, reduced from $55.00 each to, each $27.50
Long Coat Suit of drap d'ete, reseda green, Paquin model, reduced from $75.00 to $37.50
Cloth Blouse Suit, shepherd check, reduced from $25.00 to $17.00
Long Coat Suit of mohair, reduced from $65.00 to $27.50
Suit of Rajah, mahogany shade, reduced from $65.00 to $32.50
Suit of black and white check silk, Paris model, reduced from $100.00 to $50.00
Suit of chameleon silk, Paris Model, reduced from $75.00 to $37.50
Novelty Suits of pongee, reduced from $75.00 to $35.00
Suit of black Taffeta, copy of imported models, reduced from $80.00 to $40.00
About fifteen cheviot suits, black, brown, blue, reduced from $25.00 to, each $9.75
A number of Silk Dresses reduced from $20.00 to $10.00
A number of tailor-made Silk Dresses, reduced from $30.00 each, to $15.00
Fancy Silk Suits, reduced from $45.00 to, each $22.50
Crepe de Chine Gowns, blue, green, white, reduced from $40.00 to, each $20.00
Suit of green net, trimmed with black velvet, reduced from $38.00 to $19.00
Suits of black and gray crepe de chine, lace trimmed, reduced from $48.00 to, each $24.00
Gown of crepe de chine, pale pink, reduced from $35.00 to $17.50
Gown of white net lace, a bit mussed, reduced from $110.00 to $50.00
Gown of chiffon taffeta, Paris model, reduced from $250.00 to $100.00
Gown of white crepe, reduced from $100.00 to $50.00
Gowns of mousseline, white, pale blue, black, reduced from $50.00 to, each $25.00

Separate Skirts.

Crepe de Chine Skirts, silk drop lining, reduced from $30.00 to $15.00
Fancy Skirts of crepe de chine, black, reduced from $25.00 to $12.50
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Summer Wraps.

Redingote, seven-eighths length, natural pongee, reduced from $45.00 to $22.50
Coat of cream American pongee, reduced from $40.00 to $20.00
Fancy long coat, American pongee, reduced from $44.00 to $22.00
Coat of natural pongee, imported model, mussed, reduced from $80.00 to $40.00
Brown pongee coat, 46 inches long, reduced from $45.00 to $22.50
Model coat, silk pongee, old rose, reduced from $45.00 to $22.50
Pongee coat, 46 inches long, lace trimmed, blue and green, reduced from $45.00 to $22.50
Black Silk Coat, seven-eighths length, reduced from $75.00 to $37.50
Black Silk Coat, lace trimmed, reduced from $50.00 to $25.00
Full length Coat, black silk, reduced from $35.00 to $17.50
Coat of changeable green silk, reduced from $35.00 to $17.50
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Monday, June 5, 1905.

It is reported from Paris that European financiers have decided that no more loans will be negotiated for Russia until the czar's government seeks peace. If this be true Russia's case is hopeless. Wars cannot be prosecuted without funds. The men who have the money control the situation, and they can bring Russia to terms more promptly, if not more effectively, than can Japan.

All controversy over the fate of the cruisers Oleg, Aurora and Jemtchug ended with their arrival at Manila in a badly damaged condition. The Japanese had believed the Jemtchug was destroyed, but frankly confessed she could not account for the other two, in as far as this war is concerned all the three might as well have been sunk, for they will be promptly interned. The American admiral at Manila will see to that.

A zoological garden is planned for Riverview park, Allegheny, on somewhat novel lines. The collection is to be limited to native fauna. Such being the case effort should be made to have it complete. The animals of North America are numerous and interesting. There will be no lions, tigers, monkeys, elephants or zebras, familiar inhabitants of most "zoos," no kangaroos or giraffes, and the absence of these will be hard to compensate for.

Announcement is made that automobiles are to be manufactured in this city in the very near future. No place could offer better facilities. One factory, more or less, is of small importance to this great industrial center, but this is significant of a general trend toward the establishment in this district of lighter manufacturing than has been the rule. There is no reason why the tremendous furnaces and mills that have made Pittsburgh great should not be surrounded by works that will carry on the processes to the highest finished products. The time is ripe for this sort of development.

In the matter of the beef "trust" the cases are being pushed forward with vigor. The district attorney in charge is now in Washington laying the evidence before the department of justice and it is said he has enough proof to warrant going to the end. If these suits shall result in the imprisonment of a few men who are arrogant in their wealth and power, it will have a good effect. It will tend to reform business ethics which appear to have as a main principle the sanction of anything that is not found out. Without prejudice to any individuals the exercise of government power may have a wholesome influence.

Considerable interest will attach to the statement to be made by the Amalgamated Copper company, in connection with its annual meeting at New York today. It is expected the document will be in a sense a reply to the vicious attacks made upon the management of the company by Thomas W. Lawson during the past year. Whether this will be confined to a mere showing of the financial condition of the concern or will be accompanied by comment will appear when it is issued. Not much attention has been paid to Lawson recently, but his charges are naturally recalled in connection with this company's meeting.

Canadian officials persist in the determination to deport Americans who take employment in the Dominion. Two Pere Marquette railroad men were ordered out on Saturday, but appeal was made to the courts for a writ of habeas corpus. This case will likely be carried through to the highest court to test the alien labor law. Meantime the intent of the Canadians is creating a bad impression on this side of the border, where Canadians have ever been welcomed. If the new law is sustained it will almost inevitably lead to a demand on congress for a retaliatory measure. This is probably what the Canadian politicians desire, but it will almost certainly result in their discomfiture.

Peter L. Kimberley, one of the pioneer iron manufacturers of the Shenango and Mahoning valleys, is dead. Sharon in particular will feel the loss of this forceful business man for it was there he made his home, though he was active in the affairs of Western Pennsylvania and Eastern Ohio. Mr. Kimberley made and lost a couple of fortunes before his final great success. He will be long remembered in his home community for his lively participation in every public improvement.

Changing the Program.

Though it appeared a week ago as if the administration had decided on a square deal in the matter of revenue collection it does not look so now. When Chairman Roenigk's committee was permitted to meet it decided to place the collections under supervision of the city auditor, who was to be directed to report to the mayor and controller. Now it is said a special collector is to be provided who shall report to the mayor alone. It will not be contended that such an officer could not efficiently discharge the proposed duties, but the manner in which the combination has been shifted casts suspicion on the whole affair.

There can be little doubt the proposition of Mr. Roenigk, to place the duty of making colections in the hands of City Auditor Stevenson, was the better and more economical plan. The city auditor is in sympathy with the movement to secure the revenues due the city, and he could work through one or more assistants to be paid modest salary. A special officer for the purpose will cost more. Until he is named it is impossible to say he will be earnest in his efforts to collect. It is just possible he may be more interested in the political success of the faction to which he belongs than in securing revenues for the public benefit.

New Man, New Issue.

It appears probable the Ohio Democracy may drop Pattison of Cincinnati and take up with John C. Welty of Canton, as its candidate for governor. The objection to the Cincinnati man is his identification with the Anti-Saloon league, an organization recently depended on to assist the Ohio Democracy because it was greatly offended by Gov. Herrick's treatment of the local option bill when that measure was pending before the general assembly. The league has not forgiven Gov. Herrick, but the Democratic leaders have discovered it can hardly bring as many votes to the party standard bearer as it would drive away. Oil and water are no more antipathetic elements than Ohio Democracy and the anti-saloon element. Hence Mr. Pattison, first chosen by Mayor Tom L. Johnson of Cleveland, is to be abandoned as one who could not carry the district "over the Rhine" in Cincinnati.

Just as Mr. Welty of Canton is advanced as a new Moses not connected with the Anti-Saloon league by various influential Democrats, the eminent Bryan Socialist of Cuyahoga county gives out a new campaign issue. "Municipal ownership," says Mayor Johnson, "will be the Democratic slogan in the Buckeye state this year." Mr. Johnson has twice won his own election as mayor of Cleveland on the slogan of three-cent fares. He has accomplished nothing. His candidacy for governor, two years ago, was overwhelmingly defeated on a tax reform issue. The anti-saloon alliance appealed to him a month ago, but having proven unpopular he turns readily enough to municipal ownership. This issue won in Chicago. Mr. Johnson realizes, of course, it is not exactly a state issue and his sympathies are probably extended in advance to Mr. Welty. But Mr. Johnson needs a new issue in Cleveland. The three-cent fare cry is worn out. The hold of the Big Consolidated and of the Little Consolidated is as firm in Cleveland as when Mayor Johnson was first inaugurated on a pledge to loosen them. A new issue is needed, and municipal ownership will appeal more strongly to a Bryanized Democracy than an anti-saloon slogan.

Count Cassini's Explanation.

In giving his reasons for favoring the continuation of the war by Russia, Count Cassini in one sentence exposed its wanton character. He remarked that "in any event Russia has not lost one foot of territory, nor was the Russian frontier endangered." This is true, and the fact is the condemnation of Russian policy. Those who wonder, like the correspondent whose letter we publish today, why Japan and not Russia receives the sympathy of the United States and other nations, will find the explanation right here. When the Boxer uprising in China caused a European occupation of Chinese territory it was agreed that it should last only until order was restored. Every nation except Russia has fulfilled its engagements. Russia has never denied its engagements and has repeatedly promised to evacuate Manchuria, but upon one pretext or another refrained from doing so. Moreover, under cover of an old concession for cutting timber on the Yalu the military occupation of Korea was begun and that aggression prompted the demands of Japan, disregard of which brought on the war. The recent publication of the correspondence of Admiral Alexieff demonstrates the fact that a collision with Japan was expected and designed, the expectation doubtless being that she would be crushed in the encounter and Russian control over both Manchuria and Korea would be confirmed.

It is only natural that other powers should sympathize with Japan in assuming the task of ejecting Russia from where she had no right to be. In fighting for the protection of her own interests she is incidentally protecting our interests and those of other countries. In occupying Manchuria, Russia set about making it a Russian trade preserve. Our trade was in danger of being suppressed, in disregard of our treaty rights with China. Our government protested against Russian proceedings and the policy of the open door was formulated by Secretary Hay. When Japan started to force that Manchurian door open her action could not but be gratifying to this country. She is enforcing American policy as well as her own.

The situation of Russia is deplorable, but it is of her own making. She is being beaten out of territory which she has never claimed to possess, and which she has always pretended that she intended to relinquish. If she had made an honorable withdrawal she would have been spared terrible disasters, but they are the proper consequences of her acts. Her pride has been humbled, her prestige destroyed, and yet as Count Cassini says she has not yet lost one foot of territory that really belongs to her. But, if the war goes on, this is not likely to continue to be the case, as Vladivostok is now likely to be attacked, and in the end the result of Russia's aggressive policy may be to leave her without any port upon the Pacific at all. There has never been a more memorable instance of vaulting ambition overreaching itself.

No Reply to the Facts.

It is significant of the posture of the affairs of the Equitable society that a Wall street motive is sought for every important movement in the board of directors. To diminish the effect of the exposures made in the Frick report the story is put into circulation that it was conceived in the interest of the Harriman and allied railroad interests. Another story is that it covers a plot of Standard Oil magnates to get control of the assets of the company. Such imputations upon motive are no reply to the facts shown in the report, and these are of such a nature that the wonder is that public authority does not intervene.

Under the insurance law of New York, Supt. Hendricks has the power to remove any officer or director who has acted in violation of law. It seems that it is high time that he was heard from.

Costly Bridges.

The financial statement recently published by the commissioners of Indiana county shows an expenditure of nearly $50,000 during the year for bridges. This is the largest item in the account. The largest item in the bridge account is for masonry, followed by the outlay for joists and planks. The masonry may endure for many years, if well constructed, but joists and planking are subject to perennial renewals.

Unquestionably the counties of this state bear a heavy burden for constructing and keeping in repair their highway bridges. Probably they must ever do so. Yet it is demonstrated that the burden might be lessened if a different type of construction could be adopted. Concrete piers are less expensive by half than masonry and competent engineers declare they are equally durable. Reinforced or armored concrete floors will cost no more—estimates are usually lower—than the style of construction in common use in the rural counties. It will endure much longer, give a better roadway and will not be always in need of repairs. Heavy floods might rage over a concrete way without doing damage where a plank floor would be carried away.

There is an amount of carelessness in all public work, apparently, that would not be tolerated by private corporations. It does seem, however, that improvement may be made in this matter of building and repairing highway bridges. It will pay any county to make an intelligent investigation of the subject and to adopt some more permanent type of construction.

Amalgamated Copper will make a statement today that is expected to be of interest to Thomas W. Lawson. From the fact that Amalgamated still survives, it appears Lawson's torpedo fleet has been less effective than Togo's.

President Roosevelt's southern tour will indicate the extent to which popular sentiment in the south has not indorsed the fire-eating estimates of the Booker Washington dinner.

It is said the Russian admiralty is delighted to hear Nebogatoff did not surrender until his powder was exhausted. The admiralty is very brave—in St. Petersburg.

A Vermont hunter has trapped a pair of fishers. The fisher is the savagest of American wild animals. Here is a new hunting ground for President Roosevelt.

Union of the quarreling Equitable factions under stress of the Frick committee report, is suggestive of the fate of the man who interferes in a family feud.

A school of robbery has been maintained in New Jersey to teach street railway operatives how to work the companies. In New Jersey, mind you.

Prices of billets may be cut to prevent dissolution of the pool, says a New York telegram. Here is a case where combination does not work to higher prices.

Automobiles are to be built in Pittsburgh. It is a good location, since the materials are manufactured here and the local market is an active one.

Riverview park is to have a "zoo" containing none but native beasts. A fine specimen of a grafter or two would awaken much interest.

London has given Ambassador Reid a welcome that indicates complete transference of the affection displayed toward Mr. Choate.

While the United States Steel Corporation has selected a Canadian site it does not intend to abandon any American locations.

Europe will force Russia to accept peace speedily enough, if it adheres to the determination to take no more war loans.

Cecilia of Mecklenburg-Schwerin has captured Germany, horse, foot and dragoons, with a smile.

What is left of the Russian navy is observing the neutrality of foreign ports.

Admiral Enquist, when he fled, set his course for a safe harbor.

QUIET OBSERVATIONS

By ERASMUS WILSON.

They sin who tell us love can die.
With life all other passions fly—
They perish where they have their birth;
But love is indestructible.
Its holy flame forever burneth;
From heaven it came, to heaven returneth—
It soweth here in toil and care;
But its harvest-time of love is there.
—Southey.

That there is such a thing as love almost every man or woman is ready to admit; therefore, it is not necessary to enter into any lengthy or detailed arguments to prove its existence.

But what is it, and from whence, and for what purpose?

These queries offer an almost unlimited field for argument, guessing and speculation, and every hour of every day hears more or less discussion of some phase of the love question.

It is discussed more or less in this column, because the people demand it, and if the people don't know what they want to read about, and talk about, who does know?

Have you ever been present at a social gathering for an hour without hearing love discussed in some manner?

Don't you hear it talked about on the trolley, on the street, and even on 'change?

And it is well that it is discussed everywhere and by everybody, since it is something that is practically certain to affect everyone more or less seriously at some time in life. No doubt you will agree with Tennyson that—

"It is better to have loved and lost
Than never to have loved at all."

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The wisest, and the best, and the strongest of men have fallen victims to it, and that in spite of their efforts to keep out of its toils.

Love is even more insidious than the grip or lowland malaria, and sometimes a whole lot more mischievous, for to it is charged more misery than to either of these.

Marriage is held by some to be the only cure for love. That depends, however, on the parties to the marriage contract. If each is really in love with the other, a satisfactory cure may be relied upon. If only one has the love fever a cure will follow, but it will not be altogether satisfactory.

In almost every such instance the one who was not duly and properly in love goes forth and proceeds to fall in love with another. This is no less true today than in the days when men and women were betrothed by their parents with a view to uniting their families for the purpose of keeping their fortunes unbroken, or for political or social reasons.

It often happened that the parties to these contracts were not well mated—that is, were not really in love with each other, therefore, unfitted to marry.

But they did not seem to allow that to interfere with real love, for we find it recorded in history that most of them sought and found true lovers, and with them enjoyed life according to the great laws of nature.

He must be a great rake or rover who will not find contentment and happiness with his natural and proper mate.

And he must be a great philosopher indeed who can find either peace or comfort with one who is not his natural and proper mate.

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There is a most nefarious notion extant in this country, and in every other, for that matter, to the effect that one person can learn to love another after marriage, thus putting marriage before love, which is clearly placing the cart before the horse.

And then there are a lot of discontented people who imagine that marriage will bring peace and contentment to their hearts.

And there are those, particularly among the women, who regard marriage as a sort of protection from the cold world, and they are willing to enter it to avoid hard work, or to get a home cheap. Such homes are cheap, sure enough, and rarely satisfactory, save to very cheap people.

You may know those, both men and women, who are on the lookout for opportunities to marry for convenience and not for love, nor for the purpose of building homes, or in anyway benefiting the world.

The motives of such as these are evil, therefore, they can neither be happy nor contented. Those who hope to learn to love after marriage are quite certain to be disappointed, and a disappointing marriage means misery for both, if not moral ruin.

And yet with misery and ruin before their eyes, thousands are crowding into procession as though misery and ruin were the ends they sought.

This does not speak well for their home training, nor for their common sense. But such things will be until the people are better taught, and better coached in the game of love and marriage.

Is it any wonder that Puck should say: "See what fools these mortals be."

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Mr. Quiet Observer:—Have closely observed your column and have been wonderfully helped by different articles therein. I especially admired the letter this morning by "Also Waiting."

I believe very firmly that it is better to wait for that "thrill to permeate the whole being." I also believe that God gives us that thrill, that undeniable thrill, in assurance that the two are truly for each other.

I do not for one moment think that any home can be happy that lacks the true love. A couple that have the thrill mentioned cannot help but be happy. A glance, a slight touch of the hand, even the knowledge that they are near each other, will send that thrill, merry and light-hearted, romping cheerily through the body.

I am speaking from practical experience, and I think all should wait until the above symptoms show up—if necessary, until they are 40 or more; for in my opinion it is better not to get married at all than to get married and have love lacking in the home. In that case the wife will not satisfy, but I do think the children do—for one cannot help but love these little innocent ones, and they do help to fill up many an aching void. A home is not a home without them, and true love will not be without them in the home.

The marriage vow certainly binds, but what a life without that love thrill! A galling chain is more bearable. I know of nothing more unbearable.

"Until death do us part." A man and woman bound together by that vow, without love, means a miserable existence. Can one imagine the feelings of a man bound by that vow, but who has since met his affinity. They experience that thrill, yet cannot have each other. Such a life is a mockery, yet I know of several such cases, and I feel sorry for them.

Wait, yes, wait till you truly love and have experienced that thrill; then you know you have met your affinity. Where love is there is contentment also.

B. B. B.

Elephant's Milk.

A schoolmaster had just finished a lesson on "Food" when a little boy put up his hand; on being asked what he wanted he replied: "Please, sir, Jones said he knew a baby that was brought up on elephant's milk, and it gained 10 pounds in weight every day."

"Jones ought not to tell you such rubbish," said the master; then, addressing Jones, he said: "Tell me whose baby was brought up on elephant's milk."

To which Jones hesitatingly replied: "Please, sir, it was the elephant's baby."—The Tatler.

The Large Exposition.

Unlike most exhibitions, the buildings of Liege international exhibition, opened April 22, were complete. The exhibition is of a very attractive and picturesque character and the buildings cover a greater area than at any previous exhibition, except those of Paris in 1900 and St. Louis. During the period of the exhibition several congresses will be held in Liege, that of mining and metallurgy, from June 26 to July 1, promising to be the most largely attended.

TALKED OF IN GOTHAM

By FRANK A. PARKER.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO THE GAZETTE.]

NEW YORK, June 4.—About the loudest howl heard in these parts nowadays is caused by the increase of the price of admission to the Metropolitan race tracks from $2 to $3. First Belmont park was touted as the finest ever, and then it was soon discovered that it was built for the few, and the great sporting public was given the worst of it at every angle of the view. The only place from which to see a race at Belmont is at the club house, for which $5 is charged, and the management was just a little bit choicy about who got hold of the tickets. The case of the actress who was barred from the hallowed precincts of the club house because she was too well acquainted with some of the members of the elect, and used their Christian names in addressing them even in the presence of their wives—was but a sample. It was evidently forgotten that if these same men had not been more or less familiar with the woman on occasions, she would not have shown such familiarity. At any rate the young woman was requested to forget the location of the club house in the future.

This incident was only one of many that made the general run of people who like to see the ponies go a bit weary of the park that promises to make Mr. Belmont famous. They admit that it has beauties that are not to be found in any other racing enclosure in this country, or perhaps the whole world, but one cannot sit in the great grandstand, for which privilege the sum of $3 is demanded, and see the races. All one can do is to listen for the megaphone voice announcing that "they're off," followed some time later by "Remorse wins." The balance must be taken on trust.

Crowds Still Spend Their Money.

But all these disadvantages are not lessening the attendance just yet. It is still early spring, and the appetite for the racing game that has been growing all winter cannot be satiated in a moment. But the time is coming very shortly when the average race goer will look at $3 a long while before handing it over to the monopolists who are running the "sport of kings." The big stake days at Gravesend, to which the racers moved at the close of the season at Belmont, still see great crowds wending their way to the track. And this will continue, perhaps, for several weeks. But after a while the surplus saved up while there was no chance to lay a bet will have disappeared, and then the great enclosures will be made to look like unto a deserted village. Then, and not until then, will the turf association realize that it is the great American public and not the people of society who make the racing game profitable—or even possible.

No Sport for Sport's Sake.

There are lots of people in the country who seem to think these patriotic gentlemen who are running the racing game in these parts are in it for pleasure. Some of them may be, but should either of the tracks fail to show a profit in the course of a few seasons, it would soon be cut up into building lots. The men who are interested in these tracks are business men, and our cousins across the way are pretty nearly right when they declare that the American business man does very little for the sake of his health. Of course, these men enjoy the racing game, but they are very well pleased that it does not cost them any of their money. They are delighted to know that the burden is shouldered by the lovers of the game who save their change all winter long that they may spend it during the racing season.

"The Mob" Foots the Bill.

The most astute managers of amusement enterprises have discovered that it is the crowd that foots the bills in nearly everything in life. Tiffany might be compelled to close up shop in Fifth avenue were he to be deserted for all time, but the loss of Fifth avenue would not be felt by even the Metropolitan opera house, as Mr. Conried himself has said. The great American public wants to be amused and entertained and even instructed. They are willing to pay a fair price, but it is characteristic of the people of these United States that they do not want to be considered "come-ons." And those people who have raised the price of racing admission to $5 seem to have forgotten this. They are catering to the few, when the needs of their exchequer demands the many. They will wake up in time, as the bookmakers have already awakened, and then the gates will be thrown open to the man who is willing to give up his $2 bill for the privilege of "buying diamonds for the wives of the bookmakers."

Takes Big End of "Shoestring."

Despite the ravings of the betting fraternity, the man with the "shoestring" is very welcome to the bookmaking fraternity. The clerk who goes twice a month to the track and loses his little all helps to swell the number of small bettles the real gambler is able to consume. And without the small betters the bookmakers would stand some very heavy losses. The men who make a living by playing the races, known as the "fraternity of the wise ones," care nothing for the added dollar, because they figure on making the bookmaker pay it anyhow. But the chaps who go for amusement and can see no amusement without a small bet on each race, win or lose, look upon the $3 tax as taking from them the big end of the sum to be spent on the day's sport. Consequently many of them stay away, and if they must bet, hand their change to the hand-book man, whom the police have utterly failed to suppress.

Pittsburghers In New York.

The following Pittsburghers are registered at the New York hotels:

Walderf-Astoria.
J. W. Mitchell, D. Bach, J. Rossey.

Hotel Aster.
Miss F. T. Kell, C. O. Holmes, M. Aarons.

Holland.
G. Rollings, Mrs. G. Rollings, A. R. Hunt.

Imperial.
J. B. Yore, Jr., W. E. Yeager.

Plaza.
H. C. Tener, J. Tener, Miss M. Patton.

Herald Square.
R. Laird, T. L. White, M. Dolan, C. J. Graham, Mrs. Graham, C. W. Gray, Mrs. Gray, L. F. Baisley.

Murray Hill.
W. R. Copeland, E. Esye.

Bartholdi.
C. Whele, Mrs. Whele, Mrs. J. Meis, Mrs. M. Gallagher.

Vendome.
J. V. Brown, Mrs. Brown, A. C. Kennedy, Mrs. Kennedy.

York.
P. Snow, Mrs. Snow.

Wolcott.
A. M. Hanauer, Mrs. Hanauer.

Grand Union.
C. A. Read, A. S. Heinz.

Astor House.
Mrs. G. C. Buell, Miss M. Osborne, H. C. Cammermann.

Albert.
J. R. Livingston, Mrs. Livingston.

Martha Washington.
M. S. Thomas.

Victoria.
C. B. Locke, Jr. Marlborough.
F. W. Schaefer.

Park Avenue.
W. B. Flanders.

Hoffman.
W. F. Drill.

Continental.
G. J. Richardson.

Broadway Central.
B. Josephson.

Gerard.
W. H. Thorn.

Criterion.
S. R. McElroy.

Cadillac.
M. S. Bemiller.

Empire.
C. Johnston.

Fifth Avenue.
E. Schenck.

Manhattan.
S. E. Johannesen.

Beaten Women Whipping Husbands.

It will be interesting to note how far the offer of the sheriff of Washington county, Oregon, to place the lash in the beaten wife's hands will encourage court prosecutions. If it is likely that the publicly whipped husband will return to his home bent upon revenging himself upon the woman who has condemned him to the pain and humiliation of the lash, when it has been applied by an official, how much more bitter will be his anger if his punishment, however much deserved, has been received at her hands. Murder or final separation will be the outcome in many cases.—Washington Star.

CITY OWNERSHIP

Some Facts Concerning the Experiment Abroad.

Chicago's decision to enter into the experiment of city ownership and operation of street car lines has given prominence in this country to a question that has become an old one in Great Britain and that is now being solved in Germany, says the Washington Star.

There are in Great Britain at this time 601 municipalities owning and operating waterworks; 135 owning street railroads; 236 owning gas works; nearly as many supplying electricity; and many, notably Hull, their telephone systems. In the province of Ontario, Canada, nearly two years ago, there were 70 municipalities owning their own electric lighting plants, several owning street railway facilities, a number that supplied electricity, etc. Two owned cemeteries, and one owned docks. Some of the cities and towns show profits on their ventures, while others must make losses good.

The claim is made by the advocates of municipal ownership that the best governed towns of Great Britain are those where this policy prevails. But this claim is strongly controverted, especially as to ultimate results. The opponents of municipal ownership charge that there is a tendency to extravagance, jobbery, official indifference and lethargy, and the broader charge that it contracts and paralyzes individual effort.

Municipal Control Common in England.

British cities not only become owners of street railway lines, waterworks systems, telephone, gas and electric light plants, but they delve into all kinds of things that American people would consider encroaching upon private trading and enterprise. In a number of English cities, Liverpool, Leamington and Harrogate, for instance, the municipalities own and operate the Turkish bath establishments, and there is no finer in the world than the one in Liverpool. Doncaster, Chester and Lincoln own race courses and derive an income therefrom; Colchester owns the famous Colne oyster fishery; Nottingham has a large sewage farm some miles out of town which yields a large sum from the sale of live stock and milk; York owns the Foss canal; Manchester is the principal shareholder in the ship canal of that name; Liverpool supplies "humanized sterilized" milk to mothers unable to furnish their babies with natural milk; many cities own their own docks.

Liverpool bought the street car lines of that city in September, 1897, paying $2,590,875 for everything, including cars. It has since substituted electricity for cars, doing away with 2,623 horses. The work of reconstructing the new lines commenced in January, 1899, and one year later there were 100 miles of electric road. Many more miles have since been added. The cars are of the English type, having seats on top and a winding staircase reaching them, in addition to those below. The fares charged when the city first took charge were by distance, 2 cents being the lowest fare for three miles. After the city took charge the wages of the motormen and conductors were increased.

Hull's Street Cars Profitable.

Hull, England, is another of the large cities owning the street car system. That city took charge of the car lines at a time when the charters of the old companies were about to expire and the cost of getting possession was comparatively small, the total outlay being $170,000. Hull also operates the double-decked car so much in style throughout England and Ireland. The fare is remarkably cheap, being two cents of American money for any distance traveled. The last report for 12 months showed a gross income of $445,000, and expenditures of $253,000. After deducting interest on the investment and a sum for the sinking fund, the net profits were $122,000, which went to the reduction of city taxes.

A Better Showing at Leeds.

The showing made by Leeds, England, was better than that made by Hull. The total receipts of the street car system there for the 12 months ended March 25, 1904, were $1,365,535, and the expenditures $722,629. For the fiscal year ended March 25, 1905, the total receipts were $1,288,192, and the expenditures $705,222. The gross profit for the last fiscal year was $650,900. From this sum are deducted various charges for depreciation, income tax and interest, and the net profit was $416,619. After redemption fund charges were taken from this there was a surplus of $298,074, which was turned over to the city treasurer. That was the largest profit shown by any system in Great Britain.

The electric lighting system of Leeds likewise showed a net profit in 1904, the total surplus being $16,000.

Leicester, England, has bought and equipped the street car system at a cost of $3,250,000. The city put in an electric line in place of the horse-drawn cars. The old system was nine miles long. The new system will be 42 miles. The fare from any point is two cents. The waterworks yielded large profits to the city in 1904. The surplus was used to reduce taxes and to improve some of the places.

Artistic Trolley Poles.

There comes from a manufacturing company an announcement sufficiently notable and encouraging to merit comment at nothing a line. This is the production of an artistic trolley pole. The crude bare poles in general use are among the most notable disfigurements of American city streets, marring many a handsome building and mocking the expenditure put upon rich facades, against which they show conspicuously in all the immediateness of an essential foreground.—Architectural Record.

Cormorant Fishing.

The origin of cormorant fishing in Japan is lost in a very remote antiquity. At least 1,000 years ago it is known to have flourished, and there is a tradition of its existence upward of 2,000 years ago. Much romance and history are connected with the fishery in the early days, and the names of some of Japan's greatest warriors and statesmen are associated with it.—National Geographical Magazine.

Cure for Rattlesnake Bite.

There is in every rattlesnake a small sac, about the size of a Mexican bean, attached to the intestines. This is filled with a brownish or black fluid and that fluid is the cure for the bite. If it is applied immediately the patient will not even suffer any swelling and will entirely avoid pain.—Arizona Republican.

Origin of the Word "Tip."

The word "tip" originated in the old coffee houses of London. At the door was a brass box with a slit in it. Engraved upon it usually were the letters "T. I. P.," an abbreviation of the words, "To insure promptness." Customers as they departed dropped coins in the box for the waiters.—New York Tribune.

ARRIVALS AT PITTSBURGH HOTELS.

Lincoln—A. L. Kloves, Wheeling, W. Va.
Colonial—J. M. Justice, Bethany, W. Va.; H. Beeson, Uniontown.
Seventh Avenue—F. C. Funk, Littleton, W. Va.; W. W. Dick, Funkestawney; George Stamm and R. S. McClure, Wheeling, W. Va.
Monongahela—C. D. Campbell, Bellevernon; T. J. Redding, Tyler; H. Francis, Thurmville.
Henry—W. J. Dun, New Castle; C. J. Badgley, Fairmont, W. Va.; J. R. Gillespie, Butler; F. A. Gibson, Erie; M. L. Abell, Waynesburg.
Duquesne—W. L. Patterson, New Castle; S. C. Rohen, Columbus; D. S. Wagner, Altoona; A. G. Morris, Tyrone; Frank L. Carter, Uniontown.
Antler—W. D. Wright, Brownsville, S. R. Hanlon, Washington, Pa.; Morris Nathan, Johnstown.
Newell—C. A. Dean, Wheeling, W. Va.; M. E. Jamison, Uniontown.

STATE GLEANINGS

The Girls Won.

On last Wednesday afternoon a ball game was played between the boys and girls of town. This was something new, by no mistake, but what puts heaviest on the boys' heads is that they were beaten.—Portland Mills Item in Ridgway Advocate.

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"Sandy" Boy and Large Rattler.

While going through Irvintown Tuesday Mr. Cliff Patterson, clerk in Smith Bros.' store of this place, killed a large rattlesnake, five feet long, and had 13 rattles. Clifford is a very sandy boy.—Ridgway Advocate.

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Old Law Volumes.

Mr. Harry A. Cornell came into possession a few days ago of a very rare and interesting relic. It being a large volume published in 1797 and containing all of Pennsylvania's laws passed between 1700 and the year of publication. The book was originally the property of the father of the late John Sloan, who was a justice of the peace in the early days of this neighborhood.—Blairsville Courier.

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Passing of a Resort.

Cochran's grove on Bull run, one of the oldest and most popular resorts for picnic parties in Mifflin township, will soon be a thing of the past, and a beautiful spot on the landscape will be forever effaced. For upward of 40 years it has been one of the features of that rural district, but now the woodman's ax and the noisy sawmill are manufacturing the stalwart oaks into lumber for the market.—Duquesne Observer.

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Scarcity of Farm Labor.

Farmers in Berks, Schuylkill and Carbon counties are very much worried over the scarcity of farm labor. They are having the greatest difficulty in getting men to assist with the spring planting. The farmers are offering as high as $20 and $22 a month and board, but even at this figure, which is higher by several dollars than the usual wages paid, they are unable to get the needed men, and it has become necessary to press the housewives and girls into service in the field. When haying time comes the farmers say that they will in all probability have to band together and import laborers either from the south or west.—Shenango Valley News.

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A Freak Chicken.

W. A. Whittaker brought into this office Monday a chicken just hatched that was a veritable curiosity. Its body was not deformed, but the head had two distinct bills and three eyes, one on each side and a double eye, a queer optic, in the center. The bills were crossed at the points so it would have been unable to pick food if it had lived. Mr. Whittaker helped it from its shell, but it lived only about five minutes. He presented it to Dr. Thomas, who will preserve it in alcohol.—Grove City Reporter.

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Why the Boys Don't Leave.

Most of our young men are staying at home this spring; they have announced their intention of leaving, but when the time comes they cannot pull themselves away. It is said that the pretty girls attending the academy are the power that binds.—Brookville Republican.

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Love and the Toothache.

There is a young man here who is frequently attacked with a bad toothache and when he starts for our worthy dentist's office he misses the road and lands near Walter's house, where he forgets all about the aching molar. Moral, love is a panacea for all evils, even an aching tooth.—Meyersdale Commercial.

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Snake Follows Like a Dog.

The Colburn Machine Tool Company have on exhibition a rare specimen of the snake family that was captured by James Davison, an employe, while on a business trip through Illinois. The snake is a foot in length, of a beautiful mottled green color, and it is said that it can be trained to follow one like a dog. The boys have become attached to the little beauty and many a toothsome bit finds its way to the cage where it is confined.—Venango Citizen-Press.

RUSSIA AND JAPAN.

To the Editor of The Gazette:

Sir:—I have been a reader of your paper for the past 14 months, and consider it one of the best papers I have ever read. I have read all the principal papers of our principal cities and consider yours among the best, but there are a few questions I would like to ask you in regard to your editorials about the present war.

After the Russian retreat from Mukden you said: "The czar may still be unwilling to make peace, but he will at least be unable to make war," but it seems he was able to make war, or at least he has made a heroic effort to retrieve his losses. Since the recent naval battle you speak touch the same way. Now, why is it the American people, and especially the press, should take Japan's part? A country that has never done anything for us, and if it comes out victorious in this war, a country we may some day have to fight for possession of the Philippines, a race not our color, and a nation of imitators? Now, why should the American people do this, and talk against Russia, a country that has always been our friend and has stood by us in all of our great wars, and during the civil war when other nations were against us? A country whose immense orders for ships and railroad material helps to make our country prosperous, a Christian nation, and a people of our color?

If you can explain why the American people do this you will greatly oblige the writer.

N. A. BROWN.

Somerset, Pa.

(If our correspondent regards sending men to slaughter as making war, of course that may go on as long as the Russian people will stand it, but if making war implies definite purpose and reasonable means of accomplishing it, Russia has not been really able to make war since the battle of Mukden. As regards the lack of sympathy with the policy of the Russian government, the case is discussed elsewhere on this page.—Ed Gazette.)

IT IS TO SMILE.

A Proportionate Income—Brush—So Pizzit is painting miniatures? How is he getting on?

Palette—Oh, he's making a miniature living.—Washington Post.

Mrs. De Style—Why in the world did you buy those trained fleas?

Mrs. Van Nobb—Because, as I simply cannot keep Fido from acquiring them, I thought I would at least prefer to have him supplied with an educated flea.—Louisville Courier-Journal.

She—A barking dog never bites.

He—Why should he? Isn't a barking dog annoying enough without being any other mean qualities.—Detroit Free Press.

"You never told me Miss Fairgirl was an athlete."

"Well, is she?"

"Yes; she has thrown me down."—New Yorker.

She went to the sea
To get the sea air,
For she was a young millionaire.
But young Pennyless he
For sea air did not care—
He was present to get the sea heiress.
—Cleveland Leader.

Archibald—I will do anything in the world for you, dearest!

Helen—Will you?

Archibald—If you would only try mamma. Chess talk this collocate to Catchem's department store and exchange it for a size larger. I've lost the slip.—Puck.

THREE OFFICERS READY TO RESIGN

Trouble Arises in Company L of the Eighteenth Regiment, National Guard.

SOCIAL FUNCTION THE CAUSE

Three commissioned officers in Company L, Eighteenth regiment, N. G. P., have tendered their resignations to Col. Frank L. Rutledge and difficulties in electing successors threaten to interfere seriously with the regiment's arrangements for attendance at the encampment of the Second brigade at Erie next month. Yesterday the non-commissioned officers were busy in their room in the Eighteenth's armory preparing to turn over military property to the quartermaster in anticipation of the acceptance of the resignations at a meeting of Company L tonight.

The trouble arose over a reception which the company tendered the members of Company L of the Third regiment of Philadelphia on May 19. While the officers and men of the company were planning a big military dance at the armory, a banquet at the Monongahela club was tendered Col. W. G. Price, Jr., and a number of his staff of the Third by Col. Rutledge and officers of the Eighteenth and the members of the Duquesne Greys veteran corps. The boys of Company L took umbrage at this, since they declare their function was planned first and the banquet interfered with the attendance at the dance.

The climax was reached last week when Capt. Marshal Henderson, First Lieut. John T. Burns and Second Lieut. A. G. Underwood prepared their resignations. These will be acted upon tonight, and it is understood that Col. Rutledge will accept all three and order an election at the end of 10 days. The non-commissioned officers and privates in Company L say that they will stand pat for their trio of officers and will re-elect them to their former rank, despite any other candidates that may be named. In the event of the refusal of the officers to accept, another election can be called for 10 days later. This sort of seesawing can be repeated twice, and then the colonel can appoint a company commander. By this time the regiment will be under orders to go to camp.

When the members of Company L of the Third regiment visited Pittsburgh they presented the local company with a magnificently-framed portrait of Napoleon as a token of their esteem. The friendship between the two companies is of long standing and at division encampments compliments are exchanged every night. The portrait of Napoleon was placed upon the walls of the armory, but it is the intention of the members of the company to present the trophy to Capt. Henderson when he resigns.

The officers yesterday would not talk of the trouble which has been brewing in the regiment, saying they preferred to wait until the action at the company's meeting. In the rank and file, however, there is no hesitation in expressing resentment, the men of L saying that they have received small attention, notwithstanding that the company made a good rating at inspection.

Capt. Marshal Henderson.

Lieut. John T. Burns.

Lieut. A. G. Underwood.

HOT CONTEST IN SCHOOL BOARD

DeadLock Expected Over Organization in Eleventh Ward Tonight.

A deadlock in the election of a president of the Eleventh ward school board is expected to take place tonight as the result of the fight over the recent bond issue and the purchase of the new school site. The Eleventh ward board meets tonight to organize, and the people of the ward are expected to turn out in force to see the doings of their directors.

There are two candidates for president of the board—Dr. J. W. Phillips, a new member, and Fred Ginniff, one of the four holdover members. There are six members of the board and it is claimed that each candidate has three votes pledged to him, including his own. The two members whose terms expire are Dr. A. M. Stevenson, the retiring president, and James Wallace, a city employe. The two new members are Dr. Phillips and George Ackerman.

The two new members are said to be opposed to the recent bargain of the old board over the bonds and school site. Tonight is the regular time for the new board to organize and to prevent its plans being upset by the new board the old board held a meeting Saturday night and let the contract for the new school building to the firm of Murphy & Hamilton for the sum of $85,000, and the plumbing contract for $8,000. The sum of $29,500 has already been paid for the additional ground and only the heating and other minor contracts are yet to be let by the new board.

The old board issued bonds to the amount of $110,000 without receiving competitive bids, taking the bid presented by John T. Fox, the central board member from the Eleventh ward who represented a New York firm in the bidding. This firm gave the Eleventh ward board a lower premium on the bonds than it gave the Eighth ward board, about the same time, for its bonds in competition with other firms.

A caucus of the members favoring the election of Dr. Phillips was held yesterday afternoon, but Dr. Phillips would not state how many members were present. He claims the support of two old members of the board, Welsh Sproull and Otto Wenskowsky and possibly George Ackerman, the other new member, but Ackerman's vote is said to be in doubt. Ginniff claims the votes of himself, John Whitney and Ackerman.

NEW POWDER EXHIBITED.

Experts Are Witnesses to a Test of a Remarkable Invention of F. H. Briggs of Cleveland.

CLEVELAND, June 4.—(Special.)—Powder experts witnessed today an exhibition of an explosive invented by F. H. Briggs of this city, which surprised them. The powder cannot be exploded by concussion, fire or percussion cap being necessary. It displayed a penetrative force of one-third more than the powerful powder of the Japanese. As no heat is required in its manufacture it can be made almost as used.

The inventor demonstrated its manufacture in a coffee-mill-like apparatus, showing that the powder could be made on the field of battle. The latest powder costs about 16 cents a pound to make, while this explosive can be made for 4 cents. It may be used alike for firearms or blasting.

LUCKY TO ESCAPE JAIL.

President Patton So Says of Rich Man Who Teaches in Sunday School and Drives Hard Bargains.

PRINCETON, N. J., June 4.—In the course of a sermon on Christian morality before the Princeton students today, President Francis Patton of Princeton Theological seminary said:

"I hate to see a cold-blooded, right-living rascal, who has his $40,000,000 and can teach in Sunday school regularly and drive his hard bargain every week, always keeping just within the range of the law. If I were asked what I thought of such a man, I would say he was lucky not to be in jail."

Three Deaths by Accident.

WASHINGTON, June 4.—Three deaths resulting from accident occurred here today. Lawrence Owens and Jettie Carrington, 11-year-old boys, were drowned in a pond near the filtration plant. They were paddling on a raft and fell overboard. Alice Hurley, aged 34, died from the effects of burns received in an explosion of a gasoline stove.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

ACCIDENTALLY SHOOTS FRIEND

Negroes at Glenfield Practice With Pistols and One Will Likely Die.

WOUND CAUSES BOY'S DEATH

James Riley, alias "Frenchy," a negro, accidentally shot and seriously wounded Charles Smith, another negro, at Glenfield yesterday afternoon. Smith is at the Allegheny General hospital and is not expected to live. The bullet struck him in the neck, lodging near the spinal column.

The men are employed on the government dam near that place, and yesterday afternoon were shooting at a bottle placed on a stump. Riley fired all the shots from his revolver and when closing the breach after reloading it, the weapon was discharged. Smith was walking in front of Riley at the time and the bullet struck him at the base of the neck.

The wounded man was carried to a nearby shanty and Riley made no attempt to get away. J. K. Scandrett of Allegheny was riding with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Baird through that section of the country and they were informed of the shooting by a woman. Scandrett went to the scene of the accident and placed Baird under arrest, taking him to Glenfield station.

Word was sent to R. G. Robinson, superintendent of the county detectives, and he sent Detective Joseph B. Kohen to Glenfield. The latter drove from Allegheny and brought Riley to jail, where he will be held, pending the result of Smith's injuries. Riley was born in French Guina, and can hardly speak English.

Daniel Monchecourt, aged 17, of Charleroi, died yesterday at the West Penn hospital from accidental gun shot wounds received May 27 while hunting with a number of other boys. Two loads of shot lodged in his lower back and he died from shock. No arrests were made, as the participants promised to appear at the inquest.

Monchecourt, Emil Bisinaue, Leo Gillette and Marshall Borne, all Frenchmen, were hunting. Gillette went to stoop under a fence and in doing so the hammer of the shotgun caught on a post. The gun was discharged and Monchecourt received the contents of both barrels. He was carried to his home, and two days later he was sent to the hospital. It was thought for a time he would recover. The boys were employed at the glass works at Charleroi.

GOES TO WEDDING AND NEARLY LOSES AN ARM

In the Bloody Conflict One of the Guests Is Horribly Slashed by Countrymen.

Joseph Lakinski, a Hungarian, was seriously cut during a quarrel yesterday with Julius Winoski and Joseph Balosky at Treveskyn. His assailants were arrested by County Detective R. W. McMillen and Constable John Chivers, and taken to the Bridgeville police station. The officers were compelled to draw their revolvers in making the arrest.

The participants had been attending a wedding. While dancing early yesterday morning it is alleged Lakinski had some words with Balosky and Winoski. Both the latter are said to have drawn knives and cut Lakinski, almost severing his right arm. Lakinski was taken to his boarding house.

The fight did not interrupt the dance and Lakinski's alleged assailants were both enjoying themselves when the officers arrived. The officers sought the wounded man, who gave them the names of his assailants. After some trouble they were identified and as the officers tried to place them under arrest both resisted and were supported by their countrymen. Clubs, knives and revolvers were drawn, but when the officers demonstrated they were there to arrest the men the Hungarians withdrew from the scene. It is thought the injured man will die from the loss of blood, as it was some time after the cutting before he received medical attention.

RAMSEY IS HERE, DELANO TO COME

Rumors and Denials of Significance in Their Simultaneous Presence in Pittsburgh.

Joseph Ramsey, Jr., president of the Wabash railroad, arrived in Pittsburgh yesterday, coming from New York, where he was in conference with George J. Gould. Mr. Ramsey spent the day at the house of his brother-in-law, W. D. Holliday, assistant general freight agent of the Wabash. Mr. Ramsey's mother is at Mr. Holliday's house, and Mr. Ramsey will take her home to St. Louis before leaving on a European trip himself this month.

It is reported that Mr. Ramsey's arrival in Pittsburgh, the day before the expected coming of F. A. Delano and B. A. Worthington, respectively president and vice president of the local branches of the Wabash railroad, has some significance. Mr. Worthington has not been in Pittsburgh since he was elected to his present position. Whether Mr. Ramsey, as head of the Kanawha syndicate, which talks of building a railroad through Greene county, will meet the representatives of the Wabash, which railroad also talks of building a line through Greene county, is not known.

J. W. Patterson, vice president of the local Wabash lines, said last night that he did not think there was any significance in the presence of Mr. Ramsey in Pittsburgh at the same time that Mr. Delano and Mr. Worthington are expected.

Denies Being a Candidate.

Richard Ellison of the Sixth district of the Second ward, Allegheny, denied last night that he was defeated on Saturday for Republican county committeeman by Bert Schoff, as published in the Sunday papers. He says although the blank credentials for the district were sent to him he was not a candidate for committeeman, and did not attend the election. If he was put up as a candidate, he says, it was without his authority.

Arrests a Photographer.

Charles P. Cook of 900 Brownsville avenue was arrested last evening at Muriel and South Fourteenth streets. The police say that Cook, who is a photographer, was touring the homes of the Polish residents of Muriel street, taking pictures. They say he had a large number of boys trailing after him, to the annoyance of the neighborhood.

SIGNS OF RAIN SCARES CROWDS

Visitors Stay Away from the City Parks Because of the Threatening Skies.

THE TRACTION RESORTS BUSY

The attendance at the public parks was nearly as small yesterday as on a real rainy day. It looked as if it might rain any time during the day, and at Highland and Schenley there was a remarkable falling off of visitors, compared with the two previous Sundays.

The rain held off all afternoon, outside of a few brief, barely perceptible fall of drops, but the damage had been done and the crowds that ordinarily throng the parks on pleasant Sundays stayed away. About as good a barometer as any on low and high pressure attendance is Frank Lorenzo, the Schenley park restaurant man, who reported that visitors were few, an assertion which was ocularly demonstrated by a glance at the walks and open grass plots, which visitors are allowed to tread.

The bare spots of turned-up earth which have marred the city parks since spring opened, are being filled in with bedding plants. The planting of cannas, petunias, verbenas, acoranthi, geraniums and stevias in Schenley park will be finished this week and Superintendent of Parks George W. Burke will start on the planting of bedding plants in the West End, Holliday and Grandview parks. The setting of these plants in Highland park will be completed in a day or two.

June, the month of roses, will be signalized by a fine display of the queen of flowers in Schenley park and in the conservatory. Hundreds of crimson ramblers, Mme. Plantier, Paul's carmine pillow and Prince Camille de Rohan will bloom in the open ground and in the conservatory.

There was good music and big crowds at the traction parks. It was the opening of the regular season at Calhoun, Oakwood and Southern. At Calhoun park a balloon ascension at 4 o'clock in the afternoon by Dare-Devil Nelson, which was a successful one, was the feature. The concerts were given by Guenther's Greater Pittsburgh band, assisted by the Blaney Crucible quartet. Mayer's Braddock Library band and the Iron City quartet were the attractions at Southern park. At the evening concert Herman Bandy, tenor, the leader of the Iron City quartet, sang a number of illustrated ballads.

Vincent D. Nirella's Fourteenth Regiment band played two popular programs at Oakwood park. Miss Clarice Templeton and the Quaker City quartet assisted in the entertainment of Oakwood's patrons.

The Southern park theater will open for the summer season tonight. The attraction for the opening week is Bryant and Saville's minstrels. With Bryant and Saville are the Novelty Comedy Four —W. C. Cetti, Mark Thomsen, William Lawrence and William Angali. The olio includes McGrevy and Marshall, in a refined dancing act; Robin F. Heath, nephew of T. K. Heath of McIntyre and Heath, monologist; Bryant and Saville, in the laughable musical skit, "Start Me," and the kings of harmony, the Novelty Comedy Four. Performances will be given every afternoon during the week at 2:30 and evenings at 8:30. Oakwood vaudeville begins next Monday.

Luna Park Opens Today.

Luna park, Pittsburgh's newest pleasure resort, will open its gates to the public at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The park has been undergoing transformation for several months, and Pittsburgh is furnished with one of the most complete places of amusement in the country. Many thousands of dollars have been expended in beautifying the grounds, erecting the buildings and installing the various devices which are to furnish diversion for the population of the city during the warm weather which will soon be here. From an electrical standpoint Luna park goes far ahead of anything which Pittsburgh ever called her own.

PREPARING FOR PICNIC.

Preliminary Meeting to Arrange for the Annual Outdoor Benefit for St. Paul's Orphan Asylum.

The preliminary meeting to arrange for the annual benefit picnic of St. Paul's Orphan asylum was held last night at the Lyceum in Washington street. It had been called by Bishop Canevin and the directors of the asylum and representatives of nearly all the parishes in the diocese responded. A temporary organization was effected by calling Conrad Auth to the chair. It was decided to hold the picnic at Calhoun park on Wednesday and Thursday, July 12 and 13.

Father Lynch, superintendent of the hospital, reported that he had over 600 children to care for and in addition has in course of construction a new building, 100x200 feet, that is to be used for a chapel, dining-room and kitchen. When completed it will accommodate from 1,700 to 2,000 children, many more than are now at the asylum, but he is building for the future. In view of this it was decided to set the mark at $25,000. Last year the picnic netted $20,360.

All the old features that have proven favorites in the past will be retained and several novelties will be introduced. These will be announced later. Tables will be conducted by the congregations of the Church of the Epiphany, Sacred Heart, St. Mary's of the Mount, St. Patrick, St. Brigid's, St. Kieren's, St. Stephen's, St. John's, of the South Side; St. Peter's, of Allegheny; St. Andrew's of Allegheny, and St. Peter's, of McKeesport. The list will be increased next week when fuller reports are received. Ten thousand tickets were taken out by those present to be placed on sale.

Another meeting will be held next Sunday night when permanent officers will be elected.

Fails to Make Out a Case.

David Thomas, a Syrian, caused the arrest of seven of his countrymen, whom he claimed had beaten and robbed him of $70 in Grant boulevard. He could not prove the robbery yesterday morning and they were all fined $1 and costs each for being disorderly.

Celebrates 16th Anniversary.

The Rev. William A. Jones, pastor of the Knoxville Presbyterian church, celebrated the 16th anniversary of his pastorate last evening by delivering a special sermon. Special music was provided and a large congregation was in attendance. The congregation has attained a large growth under the present pastorate.

Festival for a Hospital.

Arrangements are being perfected by the Ladies' Aid society of St. Joseph's hospital, South Side, for a festival to be held on the hospital grounds, Carson street near South Twenty-first street, on the evenings of June 14 and 15. The money derived will be devoted to the needs of the institution.

CHASE THE RAT; CAUSE A FIRE

Billy and Ben, Terriers, Pursuing Rodents, Responsible for $3,000 Blaze.

BEN SUCCEEDS, DIES GAME

Two rat terriers and a rat started fire in the wholesale grocery house of Haller, Perrine & Co., in Chatham street yesterday afternoon. Employes on the second floor heard the scampering of the rat and the running of the dogs, and after the fire that followed these sounds was put out "Ben," one of the rat terriers, was found dead, with a dead rat in his mouth.

"Billy" and "Ben" were kept in the store to catch rats. Yesterday afternoon employes heard them prowling about on the third floor, where a carload of matches was stored.

Suddenly the employes on the second floor heard a rush of dog feet, then a squeak.

"One of the dogs has caught a rat," they cried. There was another rush of dog feet. "There other dog is chasing a rat," they shouted. "He hasn't caught him yet. Hear, he's still chasing him. What was that? The dogs upset something."

Tranquilly the employes continued their Sabbath packing of goods for the first train out this morning, wondering all the while why "Billy," whose voice they recognized, was barking so furiously.

A thunderous rapping was heard at the street. One of the men put his head out of the window.

"There's a fire in your upper story!" shouted the knocker.

"Quit your kiddin'," retorted the store man, "my upper story is as cool as yours."

"Don't be a fool," said the man on the sidewalk, "the third story of the store is full of fire."

The employes ran upstairs and found most of the carload of matches on fire. Strangling, vile-smelling smoke filled the room and drove them back from their efforts to put out the fire with sacking. One ran down and turned in an alarm from box 85. The firemen threw millions of burning matches out into the street and at last got the fire under control.

"Ben" was found dead, suffocated by the sulphurous fumes, the dead rat in his mouth. He had died game, matchless dog, and "Billy," his chum, mourns, for it must have been "Billy" who upset the matches.

The damage was $3,000.

An armature of an electric light dynamo got loose in Lowenstein Brothers' butcher shop, 74 Frankstown avenue, yesterday, and caused a fire in the basement. The loss was $500.

LOCAL CAPITAL INVADES POCAHONTAS COAL REGION

Pittsburghers Who Have Been Inspecting West Virginia Fields Hope for Extensive Developments.

President A. C. Dinkey of the Carnegie Steel Company, President Thomas Lynch of the H. C. Frick Coke Company, and others in the Pittsburgh party who spent last week inspecting the Pocahontas coal fields in West Virginia, have completed their work and today C. M. Schwab and a party of eastern capitalists will tour the same region over the line of the Norfolk & Western railway. Mr. Schwab and his party are traveling in his private car and will take a week for the trip.

S. C. Long, superintendent of the Pittsburgh division of the Pennsylvania railroad, who was a guest in Mr. Dinkey's party, arrived home yesterday morning. He said there was every opportunity for magnificent developments through the entire region and the prospects were for continued operations. The Norfolk & Western has made extensive improvements for the handling of the traffic, both to eastern markets and to the seaboard, and thousands of acres will be opened within the next few years. Pittsburgh capital will be largely represented.

PROFUSION OF FLOWERS AT BANK BURGLAR'S FUNERAL

"Jimmy" Hope's Remains Were Followed to the Cemetery by an Imposing Cortege in New York.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, June 4.—It might have been the cortege of a hero of many wars that followed "Jimmy" Hope, once notorious bank burglar, to his grave in Woodlawn cemetery today. Fully a score of carriages were in the procession when it wound away from Hope's former home at No. 693 Columbus avenue. The street in the immediate vicinity was so crowded that trolley cars had difficulty in getting through, and enough flowers had been sent to fill several carriages.

This demonstration was in spite of the announcement by Hope's widow and son, who had wished to avoid notoriety, that the funeral would be strictly private. None but the closest friends of the dead man, chief among whom was "Pat" Sheedy, were admitted to the house.

A curious feature of the funeral was that of the crowd gathered in the street, by far the largest number were women.

Objects to Form of Gratitude.

George Wardell of 7709 Thorn street, was arrested yesterday and locked up in the Frankstown avenue station house. It is alleged that Wardell's wife had him released from jail on Saturday. Yesterday, his wife claims, her husband to show his gratitude, began to give her a beating.

Uncalled for Letter List on want page today.

Outing Shoes of every sort for men and women go on sale today—Prepare your feet for their vacation.
W. M. LAIRD CO.
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WEDDING PARTY DINES AT PALACE

Emperor and Empress Entertain in Honor of Cecilia and Frederick.

DISPROVE DISCORD STORIES

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

BERLIN, June 4.—All the visiting princes and princesses dined with Emperor William and Empress Augusta Victoria tonight in honor of the Duchess Cecilia and the Crown Prince Frederick William, who are to be married next Tuesday. Altogether 240 persons were present at the dinner, and included among the guests were cabinet ministers, generals and admirals.

Duchess Cecilia made a remarkable personal impression on the guests. She was animated, cordial and unaffected. Emperor William took Grand Duchess Anastasia to table and by his attention to her quite disproved the stories of discord between them. At the conclusion of the dinner Duchess Cecilia called for two glasses of champagne and handed them to the two pages who bore her train.

There were no toasts. The dinner ended as a torchlight procession of students with flags and music came down Unter den Linden. The royal party went out on the balcony, where the duchess and crown prince stood in a brilliant light so that the marchers could see them.

Five hundred persons were either overcome by the heat Saturday or injured in the crowds which came to view the entrance of the Duchess Cecilia into Berlin. Thirty-six of them are in a serious condition.

CAPTURE BEDFORD BASIN.

Two Officers Attack Army of Boys With Brilliant Success.

The taking of Port Arthur will fade off the leaves of history when the true story is written of the taking of Bedford avenue basin by Officers McAvoy and Lewis, which feat of military strategy was performed yesterday afternoon. The officers attempted to round up a crowd of 50 boys and men who were shattering the Sabbath with base hits on the ball field.

When the attacking army was spied the boys opened a fire of bricks and stones. Gunmanship was excellent and McAvoy was struck several times, one rock gashing his head. Lewis was wounded upon the back and jaw. After the smoke of battle had cleared the following prisoners were taken to block house No. 2 on Center avenue: John Gray of Webster avenue, J. F. Jang of Rose street and John Keep of 212 Devilbiss street. The arrests were not made until the officers had twice been driven from the field. Officer McAvoy was later taken to the Passavant hospital, where his injuries were dressed.

Gusky Alumni Elect Officers.

The annual dinner and meeting of the Gusky Home alumni was held yesterday at the Hotel Duquesne. The following officers were elected: Louis Caplan, president; Jacob Kalisch, vice president; Rosa Kalisch, secretary; Morris Robbin, treasurer.

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A LOCAL LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONE
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DEATH FOLLOWS HEART ATTACK

John Battles, Former Superintendent of Highways and Sewers, Dies.

MANY YEARS A PARTY LEADER

John Battles, former superintendent of the bureau of highways and sewers and for over 20 years a prominent Republican leader in this city, died at 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon at his home, 161 Kaercher street, Greenfield. Mr. Battles had been a sufferer from heart trouble since last November and since then had been confined to his home the greater part of the time.

Mr. Battles was born 51 years ago in Maryland. When a boy he came to Pittsburgh with his parents and had been a resident of the Fourteenth and Twenty-third wards since. In his youth he joined the United States army, being attached to a cavalry regiment in the west. He served five years and a portion of his enlistment was under Gen. George A. Custer, the famous Indian fighter.

After his enlistment had expired Mr. Battles returned to Pittsburgh, and until 1892 he worked as an iron roller in the Elba iron works, in Second avenue, near Greenfield avenue. During the years he spent in the mill he was an active organization man and was a power in the councils of the Amalgamated Association of Iron, Steel and Tin Workers. In the big strike of 1892 he left the mill and secured employment outside the iron business.

In 1895 he was appointed an assistant superintendent in the bureau of highways and sewers and continued in that position till 1900, when he was appointed superintendent of the bureau, serving under George W. Wilson, director of the department of public works, and later under Dr. J. Guy McCandless, when he became director. When Maj. Adam M. Brown was appointed city recorder under the new charter Mr. Battles retired as head of the bureau. Shortly after leaving the service of the city Mr. Battles became superintendent of the McKeesport Sand Company, and continued in that position till he was forced to retire from active business last November because of failing health.

Mr. Battles had a robust constitution, and was very aggressive in all his undertakings. His long experience and acquaintance among the iron workers and his great ability as a

JOHN BATTLES.
Former Superintendent of the Bureau of Highways and Sewers.

fighter in political campaigns soon made him an acknowledged leader in the affairs of the Republican party. He possessed great ability as an organizer and worked unceasingly during a campaign, but in a quiet and undemonstrative way. During his political leadership in the Twenty-third ward, which extended over 20 years, his great ability for organizing the party forces in the ward was demonstrated by the repeated Republican victories. For years past the ward has been always depended upon to furnish a big majority for the party candidates and under his leadership it has enjoyed the reputation of being the banner ward of the city.

In 1887 Mr. Battles was elected a member of common council and continued to represent the Twenty-third ward until 1891, when he declined to again become a candidate for councils. During his leadership in the ward, which continued up to the time of his death, he enjoyed the confidence of the leaders of the Republican party and actively participated in all their councils. Mr. Battles for over 20 years served as a member of the Republican county committee, was a member of the city committee since 1893, and also of the ward committee of the Twenty-third ward since the committee was organized 12 years ago. During the legislative session of 1905 Mr. Battles was an attache of the senate.

Mr. Battles is survived by six children: Robert, D. R., Miss Gladys, John, James and Charles, all at home. Mrs. Battles died several years ago. Funeral services will be held over the remains at the family home at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. Katherine Koppitz.

Mrs. Katherine Koppitz, aged 83, widow of John Koppitz, died yesterday morning of pneumonia at the residence of her son-in-law, C. H. Harsch, 3309 Fifth avenue. Mrs. Koppitz was the daughter of the late Frederick and Dorothea Pfeiffer. She was born in Wurtenburg, Germany, and came to Indiana, Pa., in 1822. She came to Pittsburgh in 1842, and was married to John Koppitz at their residence, Sixth avenue and Smithfield street, where she lived for several years, then moved to the South Side, where she lived the greater part of her life. Her eldest daughter, Mrs. Caroline Werner, died a few years ago. She is survived by these children: Mrs. Michael Kurtz, Mrs. Dorothea Scheidemantel, Mrs. Andrew Scheidemantel, Mrs. Ferdinand Wagner, Mrs. Amelia Moeller, Mrs. C. H. Harsch and John Koppitz; 42 grandchildren and 23 great grandchildren. Funeral services will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in the First German United Evangelical church, Jane street, South Side. Interment in Zimmerman's cemetery.

Robert Buchanan.

Robert Buchanan, aged 72, for many years a resident of the Second ward, Allegheny, died yesterday. For a time he was employed in the roundhouse of the Pittsburgh, Fort Wayne & Chicago railroad, and later worked for the city of Allegheny. He has been incapacitated for several years. He leaves a brother, Samuel Buchanan, and a sister, Mrs. Martha Kelso, both of Allegheny. Funeral services will be held at Lowrie's chapel, Beaver avenue and Locust street, at 2 p. m. tomorrow. Interment in Uniondale cemetery.

Joseph Mangold.

Joseph Mangold, aged 77, a retired contractor of Allegheny, died yesterday afternoon at his residence, 616 and 618 East Ohio street, Allegheny. He was born in Germany and came to this country in 1850, settling in Allegheny, where he established his business of plastering and paperhanging. He is survived by five sons, Nicholas, Joseph, Henry, Frank and Charles, Frank and Charles being associated in business with their father.

DIVIDES TIME BETWEEN CHURCH AND RACE TRACK

Demonstration in Honor of King Alfonso as He Leaves Paris for London. Gives $5,000 to the Poor.

[Associated Press Cable to The Gazette.]

PARIS, June 5.—The last day of King Alfonso's sojourn in Paris comprised an ample program, including a service at the Spanish church, a visit to the museum of the Louvre and the witnessing of the grand steeplechase at Auteuil, where 125,000 persons were present.

Besides the great sporting event, the visit of the king and President Loubet attracted a brilliant company of society leaders and most of the ministers and members of the diplomatic corps, including Ambassador and Mrs. McCormick, who awaited the arrival of King Alfonso and President Loubet in an enclosure, when an ovation was accorded them.

The king left at midnight for the Invalides station on his journey to London. Enormous crowds were at the station and cheered the king and president during the leave taking. When the train containing the king left for Cherbourg the track was guarded from end to end by armed troops. King Alfonso left $5,000 for the poor of Paris.

Must Not Pluck Flowers.

Stephen Bochag and John Selecke of Homestead were arrested in Highland park yesterday afternoon. They are accused of plucking flowers at the park.

NAVY TO ATTACK AMERICAN CITIES

"Joint Exercises" to Test the Strength of Fortresses of Chesapeake Bay.

FIGHT WITH EMPTY SHELLS

[By Associated Press to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, June 4.—Sixteen warships will attack the defenses of Washington and Baltimore at midnight June 11, and continue their offensive operations for six days and nights. Meanwhile the fortresses along Chesapeake bay and the Potomac river constituting the artillery districts of the Chesapeake, Washington and Baltimore, will put forth every defense of which they are capable. With it all, the struggle is to be bloodless, practically noiseless, devoid of the spectacular and intensely interesting only to the army and navy experts who are playing the game and know the constructive effect of the unloaded mines and the empty shells.

These exercises are to constitute the only joint operations of the army and navy during the year. They have been designated "joint exercises," to distinguish them from the more elaborate program of "combined army and navy maneuvers," which was first planned, but which failed of approval for lack of an adequate appropriation from congress. The operations are to be conducted under rules which have been agreed upon by a joint board of army and navy officers. Considerable importance is attached to the distinction between maneuvers and joint exercises. Maneuvers are held to apply to operations where actual war conditions are simulated, while exercises mean only that certain prescribed problems are to be attempted.

In the present instance the object of each of several forms of attack by the navy will be to demonstrate the strength or weakness of some particular phase of the defense. The results will be known only at the conclusion of the exercises, and then known only to the proper authorities. This precaution is emphasized as important that the character and strength of the various defenses may not become known to possible enemies of the country.

None of the ships of the navy will be ruled out of the action by the umpires and none of the guns of the fortifications will be declared silenced. From the information obtainable, the program first contemplates the test of Fortress Monroe. Expert artillery opinion has long held that this fortress is the principal defense of the Chesapeake and consequently the cities of Washington and Baltimore. Her big guns are said to cover the channel completely and together with the mine fields to constitute a barrier that would be impassable to any hostile fleet. This mine field has been extended for the present exercises, the garrison has been doubled and extra drills in the manipulation of the artillery have been in daily progress for some time and will be kept up until the date of the exercises.

The "hostile" fleet has been assembled under command of Rear Admiral Francis W. Dickins, and with his flagship, the Texas, is now lying at Annapolis. On the 10th of June, Admiral Dickins will hold his last communication with shore. He will not divulge his plan or place of first attack, but it is the supposition that he will put to sea, having technically established a base at Norfolk. His squadron consists of the battleship Texas, under command of Capt. Bicknell; the protected cruisers Newark and Atlanta, commanders Badger and Halsey, respectively; the double turret monitor Terror, Commander Fulton; the single turret monitors Florida, Arkansas and Nevada, Commanders Fremont, Gault and Reynolds; the old-line battleship Hartford, Commander Veeder; the torpedo boat destroyers Whipple, Worden, McDonough and Stewart, under Command of Lieuts. Chase, McCormick, Griffin and Sellers; the gunboats Hornet, Siren and Silvia, manned by the Maryland naval militia, and the monitor Puritan by the naval militia of the District of Columbia.

NAN PATTERSON DRIVEN FROM STAGE BY PEOPLE

Quits Owing to Criticism—Says She Wanted to Pay Thousands She Owes—Would Do Right.

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

ALTOONA, June 4.—Discouraged and disheartened by the adverse criticism that has greeted her reappearance on the stage, following her recent trial for the alleged murder of "Caesar" Young, Nan Patterson last night severed her connection with the "Romance of Panama" company, with which she was traveling, and left early today for her home in Washington. Miss Patterson was greeted by a small house here last night, and the few women present left early. Miss Patterson, with broken voice and tears in her eyes, said just before she boarded the train: "When I went on the stage I adopted the only means left me to make a livelihood, and I am awfully sorry the people have so severely condemned me. I owe thousands of dollars, and don't know how in the world I am ever going to pay it.

"I am going to my father's home in Washington, where I will rest for a while. At some future time, when people think better of me again, I may resume work on the stage."

Workman Is Hit by a Car.

Joseph Ross of Wheeler street, an employe of the Pittsburgh Railways Company, while assisting in some track repairs yesterday morning, at the Center avenue bridge, spanning the Pennsylvania railroad, was struck by a passing street car. He was painfully but not seriously injured about the shoulders.

SAENGERFEST BEGINS TODAY

Arion Society of Brooklyn, With Director Claassen, the First to Arrive.

ENTERTAINING THE VISITORS

"Willkommen! Hoch Blauvelt! Hoch Claassen!"

These were the words that are on every local German's lips today as he greets the gathering of the singers who will take part in the district saengerfest, the opening concert of which will be held in Exposition hall tonight. Over 500 delegates are in Pittsburgh now, and every train today will bring big delegations from all parts of Pennsylvania and Ohio. It is a happy season for all the Germans, and they will make merry as well as sing, adding the good slogan, "zwei bier," to the cordial "willkommen."

The Arion society of Brooklyn was the first to arrive. Over 100 delegates from that society, with Prof. Arthur Claassen, the fest director, arrived on a special train yesterday morning and were met at the station by the local reception committee and a brass band. They were marched to the saengerfest headquarters at the Hotel Colonial and an informal reception was held. Mme. Blauvelt reached Pittsburgh last night.

During the morning the guests visited points of interest about Pittsburgh and a large party ascended Duquesne heights and viewed the city from Grandview avenue. They were near the hall of the Mt. Washington Maennerchor and went there for refreshments.

Driven Around the City.

At 2 o'clock in the afternoon carriages were provided and a drive was taken around the city. In the halls of the local gerang-vereins they saw the omnipresent "willkommen" and stopped and enjoyed refreshments.

In the evening a garden party was held at the residence of William Heeren, where the visitors were introduced to local singers and Pittsburghers prominent in German society. It was an outdoor affair that recalled all the summer socials of the Fatherland, and all the appointments were in true German style.

A rehearsal of the festival chorus was held in the afternoon under the direction of Prof. Claassen, assisted by Conductors Dauberger and Vogel. Director Claassen was effusive in his praise of the excellent singing of the chorus. The entire stage, ordinarily a part of the auditorium, was filled with singers. Today societies from other cities will be added, making an aggregate of over 700 male voices.

Madame Blauvelt seemed happy to sing again where she has always been such a great favorite. These will be her farewell concerts, as she has accepted a six years' contract to sing in opera, beginning next fall.

The Pittsburgh orchestra has rested for a week from its highly successful tour through the south and west and is anxious to do its best at these concerts. The Arion society will sing a work that is new here and one that is only within the reach of a first-class organization. The work was sung for Prince Henry of Prussia.

Programs for Three Concerts.

The full program for the three concerts this evening and tomorrow afternoon and evening, follows:

MONDAY EVENING, 8:15 O'CLOCK.
Greeting by the Festival President, Charles Nees.
Presentation of the Alliance Flag to the Festival President Charles Nees, by Charles G. Schmidt, First Vice President of the North American Saengerbund.
Festival Address.....H. C. Bloedel (German), and the Rev. J. Leonard Levy (English)
Dedication March.....A. M. Foerster
Pittsburgh Orchestra.
Fraternal Song (Reception Song).W. A. Mozart
Festival Chorus.
(a) Overture, "Der Freischuetz".....C. M. von Weber
Orchestra.
(b) "Through the Forests," (Der Freischuetz)
.....C. M. von Weber
Daniel T. Beddoe.
(a) "The Linden Tree".....Franz Schubert
(b) "The Lorelei".....Fr. Silcher
Festival Chorus.
"Sweet Bird".....G. F. Haendel
Lillian Blauvelt.
"The Grave in the Busento".....J. B. Zerlett
Arion Male Chorus of Brooklyn.
(a) "Spin, Spin".....Jos. Feyhl
(b) "The Faithful Heart".....C. M. v. Weber
Festival Chorus.
"Jewel Song" (Faust).....Charles Gounod
Lillian Blauvelt.
"Polonaise," in E Major.....Franz Liszt
Orchestra.
"Pilgrim Chorus," (Tannhaeuser).....Wagner-Zwellner
Festival Chorus and Arion Society.
Conductors—Arthur Claassen, John Dauberger.

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TUESDAY AFTERNOON, 2 O'CLOCK.
Overture, "Rienzi".....Richard Wagner
Pittsburgh orchestra.
(a) "Hark! the Awak'ning Call".....
.....Leschner-Burdett
(b) "Stars and Stripes Forever".....
.....John Phillip Sousa
Children's chorus from public schools, Allegheny.
"The German Song".....P. Fasbaender
Arion male chorus of Brooklyn.
"Fata Morgana" (the ocean).....
.....Jean Louis Nicode
Johanna Poehlmann.
"Les Preludes" (symph. poem).....Franz Liszt
Orchestra.
(a) "In the Forest".....Franz Lau
(b) "Cradle Song".....Mozart-Claassen
Arion male chorus of Brooklyn.
(a) "Funeral March of a Marionette".....
.....Charles Gounod
(b) "Serenata".....M. Moszkowski
Orchestra.
"Ah! My Son" (Le Prophete).....G. Meyerbeer
Johanna Poehlmann.
"Suite No. 1" (Peer Gynt).....Edvard Grieg
(a) "Asa's Death."
(b) "Anitra's Dance."
(c) "Halls of the Mountain-Kings."
Orchestra.
(a) "The Flower of Liberty".....L. B. Marshall
(b) "Columbia, Gem of the Ocean".....
.....David T. Shaw
Children's chorus.
Conductors, Arthur Claassen and W. A. Davis.

Last of the Concerts.

TUESDAY EVENING, 8:15 O'CLOCK.
"Imperial (Kaiser) March".....Richard Wagner
Pittsburgh Orchestra.
(a) "Hymn to Night".....L. van Beethoven
(b) "Hunter's Faithless Love".....Alfred Dregert
(a) Prelude, "The Mastersingers"—Orchestra. } Richard Wagner
(b) "Prize Song," (The Meistersingers.) }
Daniel T. Beddoe.
(a) Aria, "Hear Ye Israel," (Elijah).....
.....Felix Mendelssohn
Lillian Blauvelt.
(b) Chorus, "Be Not Afraid," (Elijah)
.....Felix Mendelssohn
Mozart Club.
(a) "The Heather Rose".....Heinrich Werner
(b) "Hunter's Farewell".....Felix Mendelssohn
Festival Chorus.
(a) Overture, "Tannhaeuser".....Richard Wagner
Orchestra.
(b) "Hail, Bright Abode," (Tannhaeuser)
.....Richard Wagner
Mozart Club.
"Heart's Desires".....Volk-song
Festival Chorus.
"Una Voca Poco Fa," (Barber of Seville).....G. Rossini
Lillian Blauvelt.
(a) "Watch on the Rhine," (German).....
.....Carl Wilhelm
(b) "Star-Spangled Banner" (English).....
.....Comp. Unknown
Festival Chorus and Audience.
Conductors—Arthur Claassen, John S. Vogel, James P. McCollum.

DIED.

ASHTON—On Sunday, June 4, 1905, at 1 a. m., MARIE E., widow of William Ashton, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Hadley, 5109 Dearborn street, East End. Interment at Sharon, Pa., Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, from the First Christian church.

BATTLES—On Sunday, June 4, 1905, at 1:30 p. m., JOHN BATTLES, in his 52d year. Funeral services at the family residence, No. 161 Kaercher avenue, Greenfield, on Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

BECKER—Suddenly, on Saturday, June 3, 1905, at 9:30 p. m., at the family home, 162 Wabash avenue, West End, MICHAEL BECKER, in the 62d year of his age. Funeral Tuesday morning at 8:30 o'clock. High mass at St. Martin's church at 9 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

BERNSTEIN—On Saturday, June 3, 1905, at 11:30 p. m., ANNIE, wife of Jacob Bernstein, at their home, 247 Dinwiddie street, Pittsburgh, in her 64th year. Funeral services at the residence Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Interment at McKees Rocks cemetery.

BUCHANAN—On Sunday, June 4, 1905, ROBERT BUCHANAN, aged 72 years. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services at Lowrie's chapel, Beaver avenue and Locust street, Allegheny, on Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Interment private.

BURRY—On Saturday, June 3, 1905, at the residence of her parents, 1726 Beaver avenue, CAROLINA MAMIE BURRY, aged 1 month and 18 days. Funeral from above address on Monday, June 5, at 2 p. m. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

COLLIER—On Sunday, June 4, 1905, at 12:30 p. m., CATHERINE KING, wife of F. H. Collier. Funeral services at the family residence, Sharpsburg, Pa., on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

EDMONSTON—At the residence of his son, George H. J. Edmonston, Longview station, Wabash railroad, on Friday, June 2, 1905, at 9:15 p. m., the Rev. GEORGE DURBIN EDMONSTON, of the Methodist Protestant conference of Maryland. Funeral services at the Methodist Protestant church, Park avenue and Mayflower street, East End, Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

HOLLIDAY—On Friday, June 2, 1905, at 1:30 p. m., at Thomasville, Ga., GRACE WINNETTA, eldest daughter of George L. Holliday, in her 27th year. Funeral services at the family residence, 20 Meridan street, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private. Omit flowers.

HOUSTON—On Saturday, June 3, 1905, at 6:25 p. m., at the family residence, 5811 Kentucky avenue, Mrs. MARY A., relict of Edward Houston, in her 91st year. Funeral services at the Church of the Epiphany on Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment private.

LEWIS—On Saturday, June 3, 1905, at 5:30 p. m., at her residence, 2033 Arlington avenue, Twenty-fourth ward, EMILY FROST, wife of James Lewis, in her 59th year. Funeral services Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited.

MANGOLD—Suddenly, on Sunday June 4, 1905, at 4:30 a. m., JOSEPH MANGOLD, aged 77 years, at his residence, 616-618 East Ohio street, Allegheny. Funeral Thursday morning at 8:30 o'clock, after a requiem high mass at St. Mary's church, Nelson and Liberty streets, Allegheny.

MAY—On Saturday, June 3, 1905, at 5:30 p. m., THOMAS J. MAY. Funeral services at the family residence, 6422 Kentucky avenue, East End, Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment private.

PILLOW—At Butler, Pa., on Sunday, June 4, 1905, at 5 a. m., HENRY F., son of Dr. R. H. Pillow, aged 25 years. Funeral services at parents' residence, Jefferson street, Butler, Pa., on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

SHIELDS—On Monday, June 5, 1905, at 2:30 a. m., at the family residence, 258 Forty-second street, HERBERT CAMPBELL SHIELDS, son of Wilmer W. and Florence Campbell Shields, aged 5 years. Notice of funeral later. (Indiana papers please copy.)

SIOGWARTH—Suddenly, on Saturday morning, June 3, 1905, MARGARET SIOGWARTH (nee Biesinger), widow of Frederick Siogwarth, at her residence, 250 Penn avenue, Mt. Oliver, in her 62d year. Funeral Tuesday morning, June 6, at 9 o'clock. Requiem high mass at St. Joseph's church, Mt. Oliver, at 9:30 o'clock. Members of Branch 127, C. B. A., and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend. (Buffalo and Butler papers please copy.)

TALBIRD—On Saturday, June 3, 1905, at 10 p. m., Mrs. MARIE L. TALBIRD, widow of M. B. Talbird. Funeral Monday afternoon, June 5, at 2 o'clock, from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. F. D. Melville, 7361 Kelly street, Pittsburgh. Services at St. James' Memorial church, Collier and Kelly streets, Pittsburgh, to which friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

WHITE—On Sunday, June 4, 1905, at 8:55 p. m., Capt. WILLIAM HENRY WHITE, husband of Catherine White (nee Elell), in his 57th year. Funeral from his late residence, 128 Vara street, Knoxville borough, Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend.

WILLS—On Sunday, June 4, 1905, at 1 a. m., J. EDWARD WILLS of Haysville, Pa., age 37 years. Notice of funeral later. [Salem and Canton (O.) papers please copy.]

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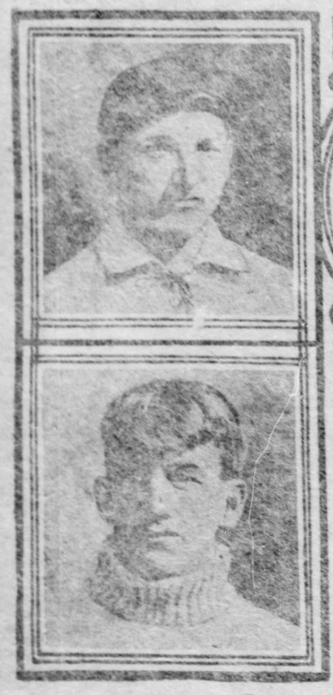

HANS LOBERT
Johnstown's third baseman.

CY FERRY
The pitcher Johnstown got from Buffalo.

TOM LIPP
A pitcher with Lancaster.

HOMESTEAD BIRDS FLY FROM VANDALIA, ILL.

J. J. Sylvis' Loft Only One That Reports. Pittsburgh Pigeons Race from Terre Haute.

The Homestead district of the National Association of American Homing Pigeon Fanciers had its fifth race of the old bird series Saturday from Vandalia, Ill., the 500-mile station.

Twenty birds, representing four lofts, were liberated. The only birds reported for record belong to J. J. Sylvis, arrived as follows:

st. Lois, J. 11.544, silver cock, 554.54 yards.
Red Light, R. 347, red cock, 554.11 yards.
Kling Pepper, R. 235, black check cock.

Three others also reported. This loft wins the best average speed in this series of races, with a speed of 1,122.89 yards per minute. The next race will be flown from Warrenton, Mo., the 600-mile station, on June 17.

The Pittsburgh district of the National Association of American Homing Pigeon Fanciers had its fourth old bird race yesterday from Terre Haute, Ind., 400 miles, air-line distance. Fifty birds were liberated at 4:15 a. m. Only two birds returned for record time, which shows that the birds encountered bad weather on their way homeward. The two lofts reported as follows:

Owner.	Yards per minute.
William Mayburry	837.62
Edward Clause	897.08

The next race will be from the 500-mile station, Vandalia, Ill., Saturday.

The East End district of the National Federation had its 500-mile race Saturday from Vandalia. The only loft to report was Harry A. Fischer of 218 Ihmsen street, East End, the second day. His birds were:

Bird.—Color.	Speed. Yards.
Beaute, D. C. hen	800.26
Wonder Boy, B. C. W. F. C	649.87
Dewey, B. C. W. F. C	649.87
Shamrock, D. C. C	644.39

BRUSH IS NOT WORRIED OVER DREYFUSS' THREAT

BOSTON, MASS., June 4.—(Special.)—President Brush of the New York baseball club is not losing any sleep over the implied threat of Barney Dreyfuss to jump the National league on account of the directors' refusal to sustain his charges against McGraw.

"I have nothing to say," he remarked tonight, "about Mr. Dreyfuss jumping the league; that is his affair, not mine; but you will notice he didn't really threaten to take such action. He only said that one of his directors had broached the subject.

"The only thing in Mr. Dreyfuss' statement that interests me is what he says about the action of the directors. He says that if he had been a director he would have decided as they did. He said that he came only armed with the truth and that our witnesses lied. In other words, he would have been convicted by falsehoods.

"The three people whom he names as witnesses were not witnesses at all. He absolutely ignores our witnesses. But really there is no use for me to say on the subject."

Baseball men in Boston look upon tomorrow's court proceedings as pregnant with trouble for the National league, and some of them go so far as to say that its disruption will be the result. Whether Pittsburgh and Cincinnati will longer submit to Brush's contention is a matter of grave doubt. But it is also said that the issue of a jump Dreyfuss would fall of admission to the American league.

Another Victory for the Lymans.

The Lyman A. C. defeated the Becks Run 2 to 1. The feature was the one-hand catch by Maloney. Score:

Lyman.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Becks Run	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Hogel 1	0	0	10	0	0	Maloney m	0	0	1	0	0
Hoelker s	1	3	0	4	0	Lenert s	0	1	0	1	1
Wallace 3	0	1	0	3	0	Korb 1	0	0	2	1	0
Schaper 2	0	1	0	1	0	Shoun p	0	1	0	1	0
M'Closky 1	1	0	4	0	0	Straton 1	0	0	9	0	1
Klein m	0	1	0	0	0	Kahl 3	0	0	0	2	1
Jones c	0	1	11	0	0	Cooper r	0	0	0	0	0
Nathan'l p	0	0	0	2	0	Riley c	0	0	11	1	0
Rennie r	0	0	0	0	0	Upp'man 2	1	1	2	3	0
Totals	2	7	27	10	1	Totals	1	5	24	8	3

Lyman A. C. ..... 0 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 *—2
Becks Run ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1

Two-base hits—Hoelker 2, Hoperman. Struck out—By Nathaniel 11, by Simon 11. Hit by pitcher—McCloskey. Double play—McCloskey and Scherer.

Brunots Island Plans.

Announcement is made of a professional race meet for July 4 at Brunots island. This will bring together some of the stars of the grand circuit and other flyers around Pittsburgh, which are noted for money.

There will be 3 events with $300 purses. The 2:16 pace, 2:24 trot, free-for-all pace and free-for-all trot. The big trot will bring together of the horses quartered at Brunots such good ones as Dr. Strong 2:07½, Billy Buck 2:07¾, Redwood 2:10¾, Mary D. 2:10¾ and Uncle William 2:10¾.

The big pace will bring together Sufreet Boy, Terrace Queen 2:06, Lady May 2:07½, Frank Wilson 2:06¾ and some of the top-notchers from circuit racing stables.

There is fresh talk of a four-cornered race between Belle Mc 2:04¾, Audubon Boy 2:03¾, Ecstatic 2:06¾ and Hazel Patch 2:05¾. A match has already been arranged between the last three great paces. Belle Mc is owned by W. R. Porter, Pittsburgh. Porter has her over at Mansfield. She got her mark in the fifth heat last fall at Memphis in the race won by Sphinx B. Belle Mc goes in hopples. The proposition is $5,000 a corner, the winner to take all.

Akron Wins at Bucyrus.

BUCYRUS, O., June 4.—(Special.)—Bucyrus lost to Akron today in a hotly contested eleven inning game. Poor coaching on the part of the home team lost the game in the eighth inning. Score:

											R.	H.	E.
Akron	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	1—	3	9	2
Bucyrus	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0—	2	6	2

Batteries—Casey and Kunkle; Mason and Proudfit. Time—1:55. Attendance—800. Umpires—Schott.

Morton Calls a Meeting.

SHARON, PA., June 4.—(Special.)—President Charles Morton of the Independent Baseball association has issued the following bulletin: Contracts signed, with Homestead, L. H. Fehl, J. Doherty, with Akron, A. Casey; with Bucyrus, A. Engler. Released by Homestead, C. Reed, M. F. Winters; by Akron, Mc-Donough. There will be a meeting of the association at Canton Friday, June 16, to book games from July 15 up to the close of the season.

Niles Loses to Massillon.

MASSILLON, O., June 4.—(Special.)—Stewart's split ball was hit at the right time here today, Massillon winning 2 to 1, through the effective pitching of Smith. Score:

	R.	H.	E.
Massillon	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	*—	2	7	4
Niles	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0—	1	5	2

Batteries—Smith and Erginon; Stewart and Gorton.

TOM LIPP
A pitcher with Lancaster.

KERR PRICE IS CHOSEN BASEBALL CAPTAIN

Kerr Price, the former Shadyside academy athlete, has been elected captain of the Ohio Northern university baseball team for next season. Price was chosen captain Saturday night after the game with Otterbein, which Ohio Northern won, 8 to 0. Price captained the Shadyside team last year. He plays shortstop and is fast and a good hitter and thrower. He will be home today, and will play with the Pittsburgh collegians this summer.

But one more game remains on the local interscholastic baseball schedule for this season—Shadyside vs. Pittsburg High school, Saturday at Friendship park. This will be the windup of the season. At the conclusion of the game Tom Uptagraft, the Shadyside captain, who will also captain the interscholastic nine, will pick his team. Three colleges will be played next week, Westminster at New Wilmington, Tuesday and Wednesday, and Grove City at Grove City, Thursday.

Don McKaig, Lawrenceville's star halfback, returned home yesterday. He was in a Philadelphia hospital several weeks with typhoid fever.

Harry Pfeiffer, third baseman on the Pittsburgh High school nine, is sick with typhoid fever.

L. C. Welch, '06, has been re-elected captain of the Cornell baseball team for next year. He catches on the team.

The Hotchkiss school nine of Lakeville, Conn., of which Twing Brooks of Sewickley is captain and second baseman, was beaten by High school Saturday at Pottstown, 5 to 3.

Saturday was a bad day all around for Yale in baseball. The Harvard freshman nine walloped the Yale freshies at Cambridge 13 to 4.

If Shadyside needs High school's protest and keeps Arch Williams out of the game Saturday, who will the High school rooters have left to "kid?"

The Philadelphia Central High school won the Atlantic Interscholastic meet on Franklin Field, Philadelphia, DeWitt Clinton being a close second. Central High scored 34 points, De Witt Clinton 30, Lawrenceville 18, and Hartford 15. The athletes from De Witt Clinton and Lawrenceville aroused particular interest. De Witt Clinton has two very good sprinters in Tompkins and Hammond, and they landed both first and second places in the 100 yards dash. Bonsack of Haverford was in excellent form and won both the 220 and the 440, the first in the excellent time of 22 seconds. Tompkins of De Witt Clinton, being second. The Blond jump furnished a surprise when Clifford of the School of Industrial Art, beat Ingersoll of Lawrenceville, who had been griefously picked to win it. The former jumped 21 feet 3¾ inches. In the half-mile Sanders of De Witt Clinton won.

In the high hurdles Ingersoll of Lawrenceville, beat Wiley of De Witt Clinton, in beautiful style in the good time of 16 1-5 seconds. The 440 was won by Bonsack, but he was pushed by Johnson of Central High so that he had to shave 1 3-5 seconds off his record of yesterday in order to win, finishing in 52 2-5 seconds. Elliott of Central High won the mile in 4 minutes 56 1-5 seconds. In the hammer throw Andrus of Lawrenceville, with a throw of 151 feet 9½ inches, easily distanced all competitors. Goldhall of Central High won the high jump at 5 feet 6 inches, but he afterwards jumped 5 feet 7⅝ inches for record.

The two-mile run was won by Hunter of Central High, but as he was not pushed the time, 10 minutes 42 1-5 seconds, was slow.

Star athletes available for Harvard next year shone out at the New England Interscholastic track meet on Soldiers' Field, Cambridge, Saturday afternoon. G. E. Roosevelt, a cousin of the president, freckled, red-haired, 6 feet 2 and a baseball player, won the high jump at 5 feet 8. He is a St. Mark's boy and an embryo Harvard man.

P. W. Mahew of Worcester, another future Crimson athlete, won four firsts, the 100 yards dash in 10 1-5 seconds, the twelve hurdles in 16 seconds, the broad jump at 22 feet and the 220 yards hurdles in 25 4-5.

C. J. Hall of Exeter broke the 16-pound shot record by throwing the big ball 42 feet 7½ inches, and P. T. Coorney of Exeter, by throwing the 12-pound hammer 149 feet 11 inches, also established a new record. Both old records were held by Harry Lemoyne.

Harry Starr of the Boys' High school of Brooklyn, broke the Long Island Interscholastic league record for the 220-yard hurdles Saturday at the annual league meet at St. Paul Field, Garden City. It took him just 26 3-5 seconds to cover the distance that no other Long Island scholastic athlete had been able to run in less than 27 2-5.

For the first time in 10 years Columbia Saturday defeated Fordham at baseball in a game played on Fordham field.

Cardinals and Reds Divide.

ST. LOUIS, June 4.—St. Louis and Cincinnati broke even in a double-header today. Thielman in the second contest won his game in the fifth inning on a triple, which scored Burke, and tallied on Shannon's single. Attendance 15,000. Score:

FIRST GAME.

St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Cincinnati.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Shay s	0	0	1	3	2	Huggins 2	0	2	1	3	4
Shannon 1	0	1	1	5	0	Corcoran s	0	3	2	1	4
Arndt 2	0	0	2	1	3	Seymour m	0	2	2	4	0
Beckley 1	0	0	7	0	0	Odwell r	0	0	6	2	2
Smoot m	0	0	1	3	0	Barry 1	0	0	11	2	1
Dunlevy r	0	1	1	3	1	Bridwell 3	0	0	1	0	2
Burke 3	1	0	2	1	2	Kelley 1	0	0	6	4	0
Warner c	0	0	2	8	0	Phelps c	0	0	6	1	1
M'Farl'd p	0	0	0	0	2	Hahn p	0	0	1	0	3
*Clarke	0	0	0	0	0						
Totals	1	1	0	27	10	2	Totals	0	8	11	27	15	0

*Batted for McFarland in ninth.

St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—1
Cincinnati	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	3	2	0	0	—8

Two-base hits—Smoot, Seymour, Warner, Burke. Three-base hit—Dunlevy. Home run—Seymour. Sacrifice hit—Odwell. Passed ball—Warner. Stolen bases—Corcoran 2. First base on balls—Off Hahn 1, off McFarland 3. Struck out—By Hahn 1, by McFarland 7. Left on bases—St. Louis 8, Cincinnati 8. Time—1:48. Umpire—Johnstone.

SECOND GAME.

St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Cincinnati.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Shay s	0	0	0	5	1	Huggins 2	0	0	2	3	0
Shannon 1	0	1	0	0	0	Corcoran s	0	0	0	5	0
Arndt 2	0	1	2	5	0	Seymour m	1	0	2	0	0
Beckley 1	0	1	16	1	0	Odwell r	0	1	1	0	0
Smoot m	0	1	1	0	0	Barry 1	0	0	6	5	1
Dunlevy r	0	1	1	0	0	Bridwell 3	0	1	1	0	0
Darle 3	1	1	1	1	0	Kelley 1	0	0	7	1	0
Zearfoss c	0	1	5	1	1	Schlei c	0	0	8	2	0
Thielm'n p	1	1	1	5	0	Ewing p	0	1	0	2	0
Totals	2	8	27	18	2	Totals	1	3	24	11	1

St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	*—2
Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0—1

Three-base hit—Thielman. Sacrifice hits—Huggins, Zearfoss. Double play—Huggins, Corcoran and Barry. Passed balls—Zearfoss, Schlei. Stolen bases—Corcoran, Odwell, Burke. First base on balls—Off Ewing 1, off Thielman 2. Struck out—By Ewing 6, by Thielman 4. Left on bases—St. Louis 5, Cincinnati 5. Time—1:45. Umpires—Steinfeldt and Kellum.

Zanesville Is Outhit.

ZANESVILLE, O., June 4.—(Special.)—Lancaster pounded Elston all over the lot this afternoon and defeated Zanesville 7 to 5. Attendance, 2,500. Score:

											R.	H.	E.
Zanesville	3	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0—	5	12	1	
Lancaster	1	0	4	0	0	0	1	1	*—	7	17	7	

Batteries—Elston and Blue; Beverly, Compton and Winters.

American Association Games.

At Columbus—Columbus 8, Indianapolis 5.
At Kansas City—Kansas City 9, St. Paul 3.
At Louisville—Louisville 18, Toledo 7 (10 innings).
At Milwaukee—Milwaukee 6, Minneapolis 2.

Eastern League Results.

At Newark—Newark 4, Buffalo 0.
At Providence—Montreal 7, Providence 4.
At Hoboken—Jersey City 7, Hoboken 5.

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NATIONAL LEAGUE SCORES.

Pittsburgh	8—Chicago	2
Pittsburgh	5—Chicago	4
Cincinnati	8—St. Louis	1
St. Louis	2—Cincinnati	1

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
New York	33	10	.767	Chicago	21	24	.467
Pittsburgh	26	18	.591	St. Louis	18	24	.429
Philadelphia	23	16	.590	Boston	15	27	.357
Cincinnati	21	21	.500	Brooklyn	15	30	.333

GAMES TODAY.

Pittsburgh at Chicago.
New York at Boston.
Cincinnati at St. Louis.

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHICAGO, June 4.—Fred Clarke's pitcher-killers from Pittsburgh, dropped into the West Side baseball grounds this afternoon and completely eclipsed Seice's young men in a pair of games, incidentally doing plenty of things to three of the pitching staff of the Chicago Nationals. The scores of the double-header were 8 to 2 and 5 to 4, the losing contest really being an excellent exhibition.

Seice made two slips of judgment during the afternoon. One was to send Bob Wicker into pitch the first time of the contests. It was the first time the big fellow has been seen on the diamond this year in actual work. He was so wild and was hit with such freedom in the first and third innings that Mordecai Brown was substituted in a hurry.

Brown got in at a stage when his teammates were two runs to the bad, and it was not a cheerful prospect to face. He was hammered freely, too. Lundgren was dropped in at the start of the second game. He lasted three full innings, during which time the Pittsburghs scored five runs on eight exceptionally solid swats, the Cubs in the meantime obtaining but three runs. Then Lundgren was excused and his former college mate, the giant Pfeffer, was dragged out. He did brilliant work, allowing the Pirates but two hits in the remaining five innings that formed their portion of the contest.

Schulte Slugs the Ball.

The great, big, prize star of the afternoon was Schulte. In nine time at the bat in the two games, he scored seven screeching drives, sent one long fly to center field and the other time was given his base on balls. Such tremendous batting has not been seen in many a day in either of the major leagues. This following his long swatting in the game at Pittsburgh the day before, places this young player among the slashing batsmen of the league.

There were over four hours of solid baseball during the afternoon, and the fans got a little restless along about the sixth inning of the second game, but the finish of that was well worth waiting for and rewarded the hungry ones. Pfeffer settled down to his work with decision and it was plain he was in great form and that Pittsburgh could do little with him. In the meantime the Cubs gave some heed to Pitcher Case, who opposed them, and kept hitting him with some freedom, although many of their drives were wasted. A base on balls to Schulte, a steal and a single to Maloney netted one in the first, and two more were tallied in the third on Schulte's single, Chance's hard one to right for two bases and Tinker's timely wallop to center.

Things dragged a bit then, but in the eighth there was plenty of fun. Schulte opened with his usual hit, this time to right field. Maloney bunted safely and Chance sacrificed them a base apiece. Tinker's grounder to Wagner scored Schulte and Evers lost the chance by flying out.

Pat Flaherty Is Strong.

There seemed a chance again in the ninth. After two had gone out Jack McCarthy batted for Pfeffer and dropped a foolish little fly into right field among three fielders for two bases. It was then up to Slagle, but he fanned miserably, his third offense.

There was a tremendous crowd out when the first game started, but Wicker's work was so shabby that a wet blanket was cast over it. Four runs were piled up in a hurry in the first two innings, while Chicago could do nothing with Pat Flaherty of former White Socks fame, Brown looked good to the crowd in Tommy's time, but evidently he weakened because his team was wasting so many hits after two men were gone, for toward the end he was hit hard. Three runs were tallied in the ninth, principally because Slagle misjudged Clancy's long liner and let it go over his head for a home run. The Cubs had a good chance in the fourth, in which they got three safe hits, but a sharp double play (unassisted) by Wagner, nipped the rally. The score:

FIRST GAME.

Pittsb'gh.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Howard r	2	2	2	0	0	Slagle m	0	0	3	0	0
Clarke 1	1	1	4	0	0	Schulte l	1	4	4	0	0
B'mont m	0	2	2	0	0	Maloney r	0	1	0	0	1
Wagner s	2	2	6	3	0	Chance 1	1	1	8	0	0
Clancy 1	1	3	7	6	1	Tinker s	0	2	2	0	0
Ritchey 2	0	3	2	5	0	Evers 2	0	1	5	8	1
Leach 3	0	1	1	1	0	Casey 3	0	0	1	0	1
Peitz c	0	0	5	0	0	Kling c	0	1	4	4	0
Flaherty p	1	1	0	2	0	Wicker p	0	0	0	0	0
						Brown p	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	8	15	27	8	1	Totals	2	11	27	14	3

Pittsburgh	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	3—	8
Chicago	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1—	2

Hits—Off Wicker, 2 in 2 innings; off Brown, 13 in 7 innings. Left on bases—Chicago 12, Pittsburgh 8. Two-base hits—Wagner 2, Schulte. Home run—Clancy. Stolen base—Leach. Double play—Wagner (unassisted). Struck out—By Brown 4, by Flaherty 2. First base on balls—Off Wicker 3, off Flaherty 5. Time—2:06. Umpire—Emslie.

SECOND GAME.

Pittsb'gh.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Howard r	1	1	3	0	0	Slagle m	0	0	3	0	0
Clarke 1	0	2	1	6	0	Schulte l	3	3	2	0	0
B'mont m	0	0	6	1	0	Maloney r	0	2	2	0	0
Wagner s	1	2	3	3	0	Chance 1	1	1	6	1	1
Clancy 1	1	1	5	1	0	Tinker s	0	1	2	6	0
Ritchey 2	0	1	2	1	0	Evers 2	0	0	3	4	0
Leach 3	1	1	0	0	0	Casey 3	0	0	3	1	1
Peitz c	0	1	6	1	0	O'Neill c	0	0	5	3	0
Case p	1	1	1	1	0	Lundgren p	0	0	0	0	0
						Pfeffer p	0	0	0	1	0
						*Hoffman	0	0	0	0	0
						†M'Carthy	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	5	10	27	13	0	Totals	4	8	24	16	2

*Batted for Lundgren in fourth. †Batted for Pfeffer in ninth.

Pittsburgh	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	*—	5
Chicago	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	1	0—	4

Hits—Off Lundgren, 8 in 3 innings; off Pfeffer, 2 in 5 innings. Left on bases—Chicago 6, Pittsburgh 5. Two-base hits—Chance, Wagner, Clancy, McCarthy. Sacrifice hits—Clarke, Chance. Stolen bases—Schulte, O'Neill. Double plays—Evers, Tinker and Chance; Tinker, Evers and O'Neill. Struck out—By Pfeffer 1, by Case 6. First base on balls—Off Lundgren 1, off Pfeffer 1, off Case 2. Wild pitch—Lundgren. Hit with ball—By Lundgren, Case; by Case, Casey. Time—2 hours. Umpire—Emslie.

ALEX JONES BEATEN OUT IN THE FINAL INNING

NEWARK, N. J., June 4.—(Special.)—One of the hottest finishes of the year here occurred yesterday on Buffalo. Newark won, 3 to 2. How did it happen? Burnham's wits simply took a sudden spasm at hitting. Pitcher Jones became wild and the entire Buffalo infield seemed to have been shaken up. With one man down, Jones, Jimmy Jones, was transferred to first on four balls. Capt. Gatins followed with a scorching hit to left field, and Jones, by a daring run, reached third. Burnham sent a sizzler to Alex. Jones, who threw the ball to the plate, but too late. Jimmy Jones made a great slide, was safe and the score was tied. Failing to block the run, McManus relayed the ball to Murphy in an effort to nail O'Hagan, but things were going so fast that the Buffalo first baseman mussed up the play. In the meanwhile Gatins was tearing around to third. Murphy made a heave to Brockett and the latter retuched the leather to McAllister. O'Hagan having started for second. Both throws were late and Gatins crossed the plate with the winning run.

Fitzgerald Has Close Shave.

PHILADELPHIA, June 4.—(Special.)—Willie Fitzgerald woke up as the National A. C. last night [illegible] to have thrown him a defeat at the hands of Harry Lewis of this city. Even at that it was only the superior punching abilities of the Brooklynite that enabled him to get a draw with the Quaker boxer.

CLEVELAND WINS 16-INNING GAME

Naps Bunch Hits on Nick Altrock and Take Game from Chicago, 4 to 2.

BROWNS WALLOP DETROIT

AMERICAN LEAGUE RESULTS.

Cleveland	4—Chicago	2
St. Louis	9—Detroit	0

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.
Cleveland	24	12	.667	Boston	16	20	.444
Philadelphia	22	15	.595	Washington	17	22	.436
Chicago	21	17	.553	St. Louis	17	24	.415
Detroit	20	19	.513	New York	15	23	.395

GAMES TODAY.

Washington at Philadelphia.
Boston at New York.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS TO THE GAZETTE.]

CHICAGO, June 4.—Cleveland today defeated Chicago 4 to 2 in a 16-inning, hard-fought game. Cleveland bunched hits in the last inning and won the game. Attendance 17,480. Score:

Chicago.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Cleveland.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Jones m	0	2	4	0	0	Jackson l	0	2	9	0	0
Isbell r	2	2	3	0	0	Bay m	0	1	4	0	0
Davis s	0	2	3	6	0	Flick r	1	2	2	0	0
Donohue 1	0	1	24	2	0	LaJoie 2	1	1	7	2	0
M'Far'd c	0	1	3	1	0	Bradley s	0	1	2	8	0
Dundon 2	0	0	5	4	0	Turner s	1	2	3	6	1
Tan'hill 3	0	1	3	7	0	Stovall 1	1	1	14	0	0
White l	0	0	2	0	0	Buelow c	0	0	1	1	0
Altrock p	0	0	1	6	0	Bemis c	0	0	2	4	0
						Joss p	0	0	2	2	0
Totals	2	9	48	26	0	Totals	4	13	48	17	1

Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1—2
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3—4

Left on bases—Chicago 9, Cleveland 10. Two-base hits—Stovall, Isbell, Bay, Bemis, Bradley. Three-base hits—Flick, Turner. Sacrifice hits—Bay, Davis. Stolen bases—Davis, Donohue, Dundon. Double plays—Stovall (unassisted), Altrock, Tannehill and Donohue; Turner, LaJoie and Stovall. Struck out—By Altrock 2, by Joss 4. Passed ball—Buelow. First base on balls—Off Altrock 2, off Joss 3. Time—2:53. Umpire—O'Loughlin.

St. Louis 9—Detroit 0.

ST. LOUIS, June 4.—St. Louis cinched the game today by scoring nine runs in the first three innings. Attendance 2,500. Score:

St. Louis.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.	Detroit.	R.	H.	P.	A.	E.
Stone 1	2	1	0	1	0	Schaefer 2	0	0	4	3	0
Moran 2	1	1	0	1	0	Cooley m	0	1	1	0	0
VanZant r	1	1	4	2	0	Rickman r	0	1	1	0	0
Koehler m	0	1	2	1	0	Crawford 1	0	0	7	1	0
Jones l	1	1	0	1	2	Coughlin 3	0	0	4	0	0
Wallace s	2	2	2	2	0	O'Leary s	0	1	3	2	0
Gleason 2	1	2	2	3	0	Lowe l	0	2	0	1	0
Bugden c	1	1	5	2	0	Drill c	0	0	4	1	0
Howell p	0	0	2	4	0	Kitson p	0	0	0	1	0
Buchan'n p	0	0	0	0	0	Ford p	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	9	12	27	15	0	Totals	0	6	24	10	0

St. Louis	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	*—	9
Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—	0

Two-base hits—O'Leary, Lowe, Van Zant. Double play—Crawford and Drill. Stolen base—Cooley. Wild pitch—Kitson. First base on balls—Off Kitson 4, off Howell 3. Struck out—By Howell 3, by Ford 3, by Buchanan 1. Hits—Off Howell, 4 in 7 innings, off Buchanan, 1 in 2 innings; off Kitson, 3 in 1 inning; off Ford, 5 in 7 innings. Left on bases—St. Louis 8, Detroit 8. Time—1:51. Umpire—Connolly.

M'FARLAND LEADS THE AMERICAN LEAGUE HITTERS

Eleven men are batting .300 or better in the American league, according to the latest figures. Eddie McFarland of the "White Sox" still refuses to be disposed from the top and is leading with an average of .357. The Chicago catcher is closely followed by "Wee Willie" Keeler of the "Highlanders." The averages:

McFarland, Chi.	21	70	7	25	2	1	0	.357
Keeler, N. Y.	33	132	26	46	9	9	0	.348
Smith, Chicago	11	38	4	13	0	1	0	.342
Bemis, Cleve.	25	77	7	26	1	0	0	.338
Davis, Phila.	29	96	15	30	6	2	0	.313
Coughlin, Detroit	25	89	15	30	9	5	0	.337
Keeler, Boston	9	18	5	6	0	0	0	.333
Heydon, Washington	9	33	2	11	2	0	0	.333
Crawford, Detroit	31	106	15	35	2	1	0	.330
O'Leary, Detroit	31	106	15	34	9	1	0	.321
Callahan, Chicago	13	56	4	18	3	1	0	.321
Selbach, Boston	14	56	8	17	5	1	2	.304
Seybold, Philadelphia	32	118	19	36	9	1	0	.297
Bradley, Cleveland	30	111	12	33	4	2	0	.297
Davis, Philadelphia	29	101	14	30	5	2	0	.291
Lajoie, Cleveland	30	117	12	33	9	1	0	.282
Sullivan, Chicago	13	45	8	13	2	1	0	.289
Murphy, Philadelphia	32	111	15	32	5	3	0	.288
Donovan, Detroit	7	21	3

SCORES CHURCH IDEA OF SIN

The Rev. L. Walter Mason Contends That the Confession of Faith Is Unjust.

SAYS MAN IS NO SINNER

"Freedom from the Theological Idea of Sin," was the sermon theme of the Rev. L. Walter Mason, in the First Unitarian church, Ellsworth and Morewood avenues, yesterday morning. The pastor reviewed sin from several theological standpoints, and took strong exceptions to the "Confession of Faith" in this respect, holding that not until the theological idea of sin was banished can we hope to have a statement of religion which will appeal to the mind and heart. He said in part:

"All churches are more or less consciously striving for a restatement of their faith, a statement which shall set their faith in harmony with reason, conscience and the affections. This is not an unheard of thing; it is what they have done in every active and creative age of history. And if religion is to remain a vital force in the life of the world, it is what they must continue to do in the future. Just as often as the thought concerning the world changes, theological thought must be adjusted to that world thought.

Never, until the theological idea of sin is banished to the museums of antiquity along with the rack and thumb-screws can we hope to have a statement of religion which will appeal to the mind and heart of our time.

The confession of faith says: "Our first parents being seduced by the subtility and temptation of Satan, sinned in eating the forbidden fruit. This, their sin, God was pleased, according to his wise and holy counsel, to permit, having purposed to order it to His own glory." That article of the confession could not have been written today, unless it was by some one who deliberately wished to malign the character of the Creator.

It is a pathetic spectacle, these two helpless creatures driven out into a world cursed by thorns and barrenness, an angel with a flaming sword at the gate to keep them from returning to the garden of plenty and comforts, forsaken by their natural guardian when above all things they need the counsel, the sympathy and love of some one wise enough to lead them. But what was their physical misfortune compared with their moral corruption? What would we think of a human parent who would permit a subtile and vicious person to come into the home and deliberately corrupt his innocent children? And that crime would be more diabolical, yet when we were told that "this their sin," their parent was pleased to permit, having purposed to order it to His own glory." No language could properly characterize that crime. Who was responsible for such sin, the innocent victim or the being who "permitted" and "purposed" it "to His own glory?"

The question naturally comes to you "Why should you speak of this old myth as if it were history when every one in this presence recognizes it as a myth, and when all the more progressive churches of christendom are beginning to do the same?" The church keeps on preaching as though no change had taken place. Everywhere you hear the old expressions "a lost world," "a ruined world," "a condemned world," "a guilty world," "redemption," and "salvation"—words which have meaning only on the hypothesis that man is a fallen creature. This the best modern thought repudiates absolutely. In fact it exactly reverses that order. The story of mankind is not that of a fall, but an ascent.

If mankind has through unnumbered centuries been slowly ascending from a lower to a higher order of humanity; if instead of being created a perfect man, he began rather as a creature capable of becoming the perfect man on in the centuries to be, then the story of the fall of man cannot be true.

If man is not a lost being, but a child at home in his father's house, at work and playing often but getting up again, injuring himself often, but growing wiser from every experience, passing from the innocence of ignorance to the virtue born only of wisdom and self-mastery; then we shall think of man as a sinner, but as a learner, and we do not ask how he shall be saved, but how his life may be developed, how it may be made rich and true, how he may acquire life more abundant.

When that confession of faith was written the majority of legal offenses were punishable by death; vengeance, torture, ostracism were supposed to be the just deserts of the criminal and morally defective classes. But in dealing with these classes today, how completely the attitude is changed. Courts are careful to search out every extenuating circumstance. Punishment itself is cast in the form of discipline looking to a reformation of the criminal.

Shall we purge the barbarism out of our criminal code, and leave it all in full force in our theology? Shall we leave standing there the imputation that God is less just than man?

For nearly 2,000 years man has been taught that he is not man, but a sinner. Now we may if we will be free, to discover that which is true and noble within Him, and declare it, so that that higher nature may be awakened and assert itself as never before.

TALKS ON CHILD LABOR.

Dr. Warren G. Partridge Says State Laws Should Be Bettered.

"There are conditions of child labor in this state which are inhuman and pagan," declared the Rev. Dr. Warren G. Partridge from the pulpit of the Fourth Avenue Baptist church last night during his sermon on "Love for Humanity." He continued:

It is merciless to allow too young children to labor in factories and mines. The state of Pennsylvania should enact better laws in regard to child labor. Greed and lust for gold often sacrifices childhood under the wheels of the juggernaut of our modern unsanitary mills and factories.

Heathenism places little value on a weak member of society. Roman and Greek civilization exposed to death delicate little children. The Indians of Alaska a few years ago killed old people by drowning. The best way to rid the tribe of useless aged members was to fasten them to a stake and let the incoming tide drown the victim. This Indian logic and practiced in Alaska until quite recently. But the characteristic of Christianity is to put a high value upon life. Jesus used a little child for an object lesson in one of His illustrated sermons. Love for humanity should be practical. It is our duty to look after the welfare of our fellowmen intellectually, morally, physically and spiritually.

OBSERVE CHILDREN'S DAY.

Many Congregations Devote Services to Their Sunday Schools.

Children's day exercises and services were conducted in nearly all churches of the Christian denomination throughout the country yesterday. In the First church, Allegheny, an interesting program was carried out last night, while in the morning the pastor, the Rev. Dr. Wallace Tharp, preached on "Things Observable in Children."

The Shady Avenue Baptist church held its annual children's service yesterday morning, during which the pastor, the Rev. Dr. W. A. Stanton delivered an appropriate address. The twenty-third anniversary services of the Sunday school of the First Primitive Methodist church, Holmes street, which were begun last Sunday, were concluded yesterday with special exercises morning, afternoon and evening.

RECEIVES 51 MEMBERS.

Bellefield Presbyterian Church Takes Half Hundred Into Congregation.

During the morning service in the Bellefield Presbyterian church, Bellefield and Fifth avenues, yesterday, 51 persons were received into the congregation; the largest number received into the church at any one time in its history.

This makes a total of 80 new members received into the church since the present pastor, the Rev. Daniel Russell, assumed the pastorate on December 1, 1904.

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WHAT WE NEED; THINKING MEN

Allegheny Pastor Scores the Cry for Sugar-Coated Theology and Cheap Drama.

RAPS "HALT, VILLAIN!" NOVELS

Under the sermon theme "What We Need—Thinking Men," the Rev. C. F. Wishart, pastor of the Eleventh United Presbyterian church, Allegheny, scored the prevailing crake for "sugar-coated" sermons, light literature and foolish entertainment, from his pulpit yesterday morning. He held that Shakespeare was being discarded for the "Halt, Villain," novels that society is lost without a "shuffling of feet or pasteboards," that Beethoven has been shelved for "rag time" and that pulpit homeopathy is demanded in pre-digested form because there is a growing disinclination to think. Taking for his text Psalms cxix:59: "I thought on my ways, and I turned my feet unto thy testimonies," he said in part:

One of the most discouraging symptoms of modern life is the inability or unwillingness of the average man to do much serious thinking for himself. As life becomes easier and more luxurious there is growing disinclination to sit down and face the real problems of life and think them through seriously. We groan at "doctrinal" sermons. Scripture truth, diluted according to the latest rules of pulpit homeopathy, must even then be sugar-coated ere it appeals to the lazy digestion of the average hearer.

On our shelves—in dusty dignity—rest the splendid romances of Walter Scott, the perfect English of Thackeray, the character portrayal of George Elliot, the inimitable humor of Charles Dickens. But we eagerly devour the latest "best-seller" novel of the "halt, villain!" type, with plentiful blood-letting in every chapter, or we feed our intellectual lives on the heavy intellectual pabulum furnished forth by George Ade and "Mr. Dooley." And all because the literary masters can only be appreciated by thoughtful readers—and we do not want to think. We make a mock of Robert Browning because he was a poet who did write all his heart believe and assume that the reader would use his intellectual faculties—which God gave him—while he read. We turn from Beethoven and Wagner and Schuman to John Phillip Sousa and the writers of these syncopated nightmares known as "rag-time." And, this, because the great musicians appealed to our heads, while the "popular" caterers appeal solely and only to our feet.

On the stage, with the infinite variety, the tragedy and the tears and laughter of mighty Shakespeare to draw from, we have vaudeville, cheap tragedy and vulgar comedy, such as make our very billboards an offense to thoughtful eyes. There was a time in social life when, in the "salons" and coffee-houses, conversation was at once an art, and an all-sufficient entertainment. No guests were bored, while the flash of wit and flow of wisdom both enlightened and enlivened. In Lewis Carroll's "Wonderland" classic, poor Alice began: "I don't think," "Then don't talk," angrily interrupted the Mad Hatter. Modern society would seem to have forgotten both how to talk and how to think. For a social company seems almost helplessly incapable of entertaining itself for so much as one short evening, until the anxious hostess is compelled to fall back on one of two lines of retreat—either the shuffling of feet or the shuffling of pasteboard.

And even in religious life we shrink from the mental effort required to grasp and assimilate the great, strong, rugged, virile truths of God's word. But we must eke out our religious sustenance by skimpy little books of devotion, thinned to taste, eclectic concoctions of obs and ans, "concentrated collections of pious platitudes." It is not the wickedness, great or small, but the weakness of all this against which I level my protest. It is the inanity, the emptiness of it all, the fact that our inner lives make no progress, but evermore "go out at that same door wherein they went." It is the sin of the "unlit lamp and the ungrit loin." For the penalty of refusal to think is inability to think—is mental and moral atrophy and decay. A good, square, honest heart-to-heart talk with God's word, and then another with ourselves; a little straight, serious thinking—deep enough for our sins, high enough for God, far-reaching enough for eternity—would turn many feet unto God's testimonies. Mental sluggishness, loose and flabby thinking, is a greater foe to God's word than all the infidels in the world.

DEDICATE ALTAR.

Memorial Is Unveiled in Grace Reformed Church With Appropriate Exercises and Sermon.

In Grace Reformed church, Dithridge and Bayard streets, yesterday morning, a handsome marble altar, the gift of Mrs. J. F. Diffenbacher in memory of her daughter Flora, and grandson Robert, was unveiled and dedicated. The altar was sculptured in Rome, Italy, and was one year in construction. It is handsomely carved with the church insignia. In dedicating the altar the pastor, the Rev. Dr. John Hassler Prugh, delivered a sermon on "The Altar of God," and said in part:

In Christian houses of worship, the table upon which the bread and wine are placed, in commemoration of Christ's death, is often called an altar. The altar is of stone, and that suggests permanency. We will always hold in grateful remembrance Christ's sacrifice of Himself for the sin of the world. And according to the vision of St. John, throughout eternity, we will see Him as "the Lamb that had been slain."

The altar is of beautiful Carrara marble, and its position there, will focus the eyes of all who enter here. Its significance will be forced upon us. The altar with its cross gives us God's estimate of sin.

The altar with its cross, reveals to us the value God places in us. It expresses God's estimate of our worth to Him. May that altar and its cross and the sacred emblems carved upon it, and the others which from time to time shall be placed upon it, deepen in us the conviction that we were redeemed from the curse of sin, and that the blood of Christ was the price.

Will Vote to Enlarge Church.

A congregational meeting will be held in the Knoxville Methodist Episcopal church this evening for the purpose of voting on a proposition to enlarge the church at an approximate expense of $12,000. Four years ago the congregation erected a one-story structure, which has become inadequate and the intention is to enlarge and heighten the present building.

Celebrates Fourth Anniversary.

The Rev. Robert W. Woods, pastor of the Lutheran Church of the Redeemer, Lang avenue, observed the fourth anniversary of his pastorate yesterday morning by preaching a special sermon covering the work of the congregation during his administration and the possibilities which were before it.

Tent Services Begin.

The first tent service of the proposed summer campaign of the Pittsburgh and Allegheny presbyteries of the Presbyterian church was held on the lawn of the Hazelwood Presbyterian church yesterday afternoon. Addresses were made by the Revs. Herbert Hezlep and J. Allison Platts.

Preaches to "Prep" School.

The annual sermon to the Allegheny Preparatory school was preached last night in the North Avenue Presbyterian church, Allegheny. The speaker was the Rev. Dr. H. D. Lindsay, who preached on "The Trophies of Youth."

NEW TRAIN'S FAST TIME.

Pittsburghers Can Transact Day's Business in Metropolis and Arrive Home in Time for Bed.

The new Pennsylvania railroad special, which will make the run between New York and Chicago in 18 hours, will probably go into service this week. It will cover the distance between the two cities in faster time than has ever been accomplished by any regularly running train. Of particular convenience will it be to Pittsburgh business men, as it will permit them to transact almost an entire day's business in New York, bear them away from the metropolis at 3.55 and land them home about midnight, in time for a night's sleep in their own beds.

The new train will be a veritable palace on wheels. It will be made up of three cars, a library and smoker, drawing room and sleepar and a compartment observation car. For a part of the distance out of both cities a diner will be carried, but it will be dropped from the train as soon as the meals are disposed of. The feasibility of making the run from New York to Chicago in 18 hours has been practically demonstrated. A number of experimental runs have been made, and the company officials are assured of the success of the project.

Coming east the new flyer will arrive in Pittsburgh shortly after midnight. Westbound it will reach this city a little before midnight. At Philadelphia the Broad street station will be avoided, the train going through that city and on to New York via the North Philadelphia cut-off.

LARGER GRAIN RECEIPTS AT THE ATLANTIC PORTS

The Government Reports Show Considerable Increase for April Over Last Year.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, June 4.—Grain movements at prominent Atlantic and gulf ports during April, as indicated by reports received by the department of commerce and labor through its bureau of statistics, show appreciable gains, if contrasted with like movements for the fourth month of the preceding year, while similar receipts and shipments for the first four months of 1905, although presenting gains for Boston, New York and Baltimore, show losses for the cities of Philadelphia and Galveston. On the Pacific coast total grain receipts were considerably lighter during April than they were during a corresponding month in 1904, the same conditions holding true with regard to a four-month period.

At Boston grain receipts for April reached a total of 2,165,207 bushels, over a million bushels in excess of a similar movement in 1904, while shipments which amounted to 1,756,133 bushels were approximately 1,300,000 bushels greater than those of a like month in the preceding year. During the first four months of 1905, receipts of cereals at that port aggregated 8,221,505 bushels, while the total arrivals for a similar period in 1904 amounted to 5,758,070 bushels. The great increase thus indicated in the 1905 receipts was almost entirely due to heavier corn arrivals, although there was also some increase in the receipts of wheat. Shipments of grain from this city for like periods were 6,111,654 bushels in 1905, and 3,456,093 bushels in 1904.

Grain receipts at New York during the month of April totaled 8,964,253 bushels, of which 6,862,988 bushels represented a rail movement, and 71,051 bushels a river and coast movement. Similar total receipts for the fourth month of the preceding year aggregated 4,651,893 bushels, divided into a rail movement of 4,605,968 bushels, and a river and coast movement of 75,925 bushels.

At Philadelphia receipts of grain during the fourth month of the current year amounted to 1,270,497 bushels as compared with 929,596 bushels for a like month in 1904. Shipments from this port for April were 1,028,565 bushels in 1905 and 557,139 bushels in 1904. During the present year to April 30, 5,118,028 bushels of grain were received at Philadelphia, while for a similar period in 1904 the inbound movement totaled 5,900,939 bushels. Grain shipments at this market were 3,350,588 bushels during the present year to April 30, while a like movement in 1904 amounted to 4,668,378 bushels.

LABOR UNIONS TO INVADE THE FIELD OF POLITICS

Organization Is Effected to Appeal to Political Parties With a View of Securing Representation.

Representatives of various labor organizations to the number of 180 met in Arnfeld's hall, Penn avenue, yesterday afternoon, and effected a political organization. The purpose of the organization, as shown by resolutions adopted, is to have representatives wait upon the county committees of the various political organizations and ask for labor representation upon their tickets. These representatives are to report back at a general meeting at which all members of labor organizations will be permitted to attend, at which time the political organization offering the best inducements will be supported, and the general meeting will select candidates and make nominations for the positions offered on the accepted ticket.

A permanent organization was effected yesterday afternoon by electing the following officers: President, Joseph Henry; vice president, J. J. Toole; secretary, John Fernau; treasurer, W. J. Burke, common councilman from the Second ward, Allegheny.

A committee of 20 appointed to wait upon the various county committees, includes the following: Chairman, W. J. Burke of the railway conductors; Frank Smith of the painters, Daniel Gildernew, bricklayers; J. J. Toole, plumbers; William Trischler, barbers; Henry Josephs, bill posters; N. S. Glass, sheet metal workers; E. J. Waltman, switchmen; M. Flaherty, structural iron workers; John Fernau, United Labor league; William Hamilton, railroad trainmen; Thomas G. Mason, carpenters; George Shaffrath, tile layers' helpers; R. S. Brady, boilermakers; Benjamin Wilson, marble workers; C. N. Isler, steamfitters; J. A. Bacharach, salespeople; D. T. Kelly, blacksmiths; Thomas Williams, tile layers, and Joseph A. McDonald, locomotive engineers.

The committee of 20 met after the meeting and appointed a committee of four consisting of W. J. Burke, John Fernau, D. T. Kelly and J. A. Bacharach to wait upon the county committees today and have dates fixed for hearing the full committee.

Heavy Fines for Negroes.

Lucy walls and James Katz were fined $50 and costs by Magistrate Moke at Central station yesterday morning. They were alleged to have had a fight in the woman's house in Tunnel street. Both are negroes.

Pays $3 for His Threat.

A fine of $3 was imposed on Steve Marenich by Magistrate J. F. Kane at the Penn avenue police station yesterday. He had been arrested Saturday night for threatening to cut a woman's throat with a razor.

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Columbus and Cincinnati	* 4.50 am	* 8.45 pm
Alliance and Crestline	* 4.50 am	* 5.50 pm
Cleveland and Bellaire	* 8.20 am	* 7.25 pm
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 8.20 am	* 10.45 pm
Akron and Cleveland	* 8.20 am	* 1.05 pm
New Castle and Erie	* 8.30 am	* 8.20 pm
New Castle and Erie	* 4.30 am	†10.55 am
Youngstown and Ashtabula	* 4.50 am	* 5.50 pm
Ohio Valley Express	* 6.50 am	* 8.30 pm
Salem and Alliance	* 7.00 am	†10.40 pm
Fort Wayne and Chicago	* 7.00 am	* 2.50 am
Wellsville and Bellaire	* 7.30 am	* 10.45 pm
Akron and Cleveland	* 7.30 am	* 3.40 pm
Mercer and Oil City	* 7.35 am	†10.55 am
Jamestown and New Castle	* 7.55 am	* 1.20 pm
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The Cleveland Express	* 8.00 am	* 3.50 pm
Columbus and Cincinnati	* 8.00 am	* 3.50 pm
The Toledo Special	*11.30 am	* 5.00 pm
Columbus and Chicago	*12.30 pm	* 2.00 pm
Youngstown, Ashtabula & Jamest'n	*12.55 pm	* 6.50 pm
Jamestown and Ashtabula	*12.55 pm	†10.55 am
Cleveland and Bellaire	* 1.25 pm	* 7.05 pm
Alliance and Mansfield	* 1.35 pm	* 1.00 pm
East Liverpool and Steubenville	* 4.05 pm	* 7.40 am
New Castle and Erie	* 4.30 pm	* 5.50 pm
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The Pennsylvania Limited	* 8.15 pm	* 6.00 am
Toledo and Detroit Express	* 8.20 pm	* 3.55 am
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Chicago & Cleve. "Flyer"	* 7.00 am	* 9.45 pm
Cleveland "Flyer"	* 7.00 am	* 6.30 pm
Youngstown Express	* 8.15 am	* 5.05 pm
Buffalo Limited	* 9.00 am	* 3.00 pm
Cleve. & Chautauqua	* 9.00 am	*12.50 pm
Buffalo and Eastern Ex.	*12.35 pm	† 6.50 pm
Lake Chaut'qua Fast Line	*12.35 pm	* 6.30 pm
Buffalo & Erie Express	* 3.00 pm	* 9.45 pm
Cleveland & Chicago Ex.	* 2.30 pm	*12.30 pm
Boston Special	* 5.00 pm	* 6.25 am
Cleve. & Detroit "Flyer"	* 6.15 pm	*11.15 am
Chicago Limited	* 6.15 pm	* 6.35 am
Buffalo & Cleveland Ex.	*10.00 pm	* 6.35 am
Youngstown Accom.	† 5.20 am	† 9.00 am
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 6.40 am	† 5.35 pm
New Castle Accom.	†11.55 am	† 4.15 pm
Beaver Falls Accom.	† 3.30 am	†12.10 pm
New Castle Express	† 4.20 pm	† 7.30 am
New Castle Express	† 9.50 am	† 1.10 pm
Beaver Falls Express	† 5.25 pm	† 9.00 am
Beaver Valley Express	† 8.35 pm	† 6.45 am
Beaver Valley Express	† 9.00 pm	† 7.15 pm
Brownsville Accom.	† 6.10 am	† 6.45 am
Brownsville & N. Hav. Ex	* 8.30 am	* 8.00 am
McKeesp't & Brownsville	*11.50 am	*12.20 pm
Brownsville & N. Haven	† 3.30 pm	† 4.50 pm
Brownsville & (N. Haven	* 8.20 pm	* 5.45 pm

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Eastern Standard Time.	Leave.	Arrive.
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Central Time—All trains daily	Depart	Arrive
Wheeling Express	5.30 am	8.45 am
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Toledo, St. L. Kansas City	12.01 pm	5.15 pm
Wheeling Express	4.20 pm	6.45 pm
Hickory Pryor, Mingo Accom.	5.05 pm	6.40 am
St. L., Chicago, Kansas City	7.40 pm	7.00 am

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FOR PHILADELPHIA, NEW YORK, BALTIMORE AND WASHINGTON.	Depart.	Arrive.
Keystone Express, daily	3.00 a.m.	
Manhattan Limited, daily, for North Philadelphia and New York	3.25 a.m.	
The Pennsylvania Limited, daily	7.15 a.m.	
New York Limited, daily	7.15 a.m.	
Atlantic Express, daily	7.30 a.m.	
Main Line Express, daily	8.00 a.m.	
Buffalo Day Express, daily	9.00 a.m.	
Day Express, daily	12.01 p.m.	
Mail Express, daily	12.45 p.m.	
Buffalo Special, daily	1.10 p.m.	
Chicago Mail, daily for Baltimore and Washington	4.50 p.m.	
Eastern Express, daily for Philadelphia and New York	4.25 p.m.	
New York Express, daily	7.10 p.m.	
Philadelphia and Washington Express, daily	9.00 p.m.	
New York Special, daily, for New York, Baltimore & Washington	10.00 p.m.	
Philadelphia Special, daily, for Philadelphia only. Sleeping cars only	10.05 p.m.	
Buffalo Night Express, daily	11.00 p.m.	
For Oil City, 6.22, 9.00 a. m., 1.10, 1.30, 5.05 and 11.00 p. m. week days; Sundays, 9.00 a. m. 1.10, 5.05, and 11.00 p. m.		
For Titusville and Corry, 9.00 a. m., 1.10 and 11.00 p. m. daily. For Titusville only, 1.30 p. m. week days.		
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For Brownsville and Uniontown, 10.55 a. m., 4.40 p. m. week days, and 4.30 p. m. Sundays. For Brownsville only, 6.10, 8.20, 9.15 a. m., 1.55, 3.25, 7.15 and 11.35 p. m. week days; 7.00, 9.50 a. m. and 1.05, 5.00 and 9.40 Sundays. For West Brownsville, 9.15 and 3.25 p. m. week days. For Dravosburg, West Elizabeth, Monongahela City and Belle Vernon, 6.10, 8.20, 10.55 a. m., 1.05, 3.25, 4.40 (5.20 to Monongahela City), 7.15 and 11.25 p. m. week days. Sunday, 7.00, 9.50 a. m. 1.05, 5.00 and 9.40 p. m.		
For Butler, 3.05 and 6.10 p. m.		
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Cumberland Accommoda.	* 6.30 am	* 9.25 pm
Connellsville & Mt. Pleas.	† 6.30 am	†10.05 am
Wash., Balt. & New York	* 8.00 am	* 7.45 pm
Conny., Un'n & Fairmont	* 8.00 am	* 7.45 pm
West Newton Accom.	* 8.15 am	* 8.00 am
Camb., Wash. & Balt.	* 1.15 pm	* 3.00 pm
Conny., Un'n & Fairmont	†2.00 pm	†10.05 am
Connellsville & Mt. Pleas.	† 2.00 pm	† 5.05 pm
Connellsville Accom'tion.	* 4.10 pm	† 5.05 pm
Morgantown, Clarksburg and Weston	* 5.00 pm	†12.20 pm
Philadelphia & New York (Duquesne Limited)	* 6.30 pm	* 9.05 am
West Newton Accom.	* 6.40 pm	† 1.30 pm
Wash., Balt. & Phila.	* 9.00 pm	* 7.35 am

LINES WEST VIA WHEELING.

Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac.	* 7.40 am	* 6.10 pm
Col., Cin. & St. L. Ex.	* 8.30 am	* 7.45 am
Wheeling Express	* 1.05 pm	* 6.05 pm
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheeling	* 4.00 pm	†10.00 am
Wash. (Pa.) & Wheel. Ac.	* 5.05 pm	* 4.05 pm
Col., Cin. & St. L. Ex.	* 5.50 pm	* 7.35 pm

LINES WEST VIA AKRON.

Cleve., Akron & Locals	* 7.45 am	* 8.50 pm
Chicago & Cleveland	* 4.30 pm	* 1.00 pm
Chicago Limited	* 8.05 pm	* 7.35 am
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Butler	† 7.00 am	† 8.00 am
Butler, Zelienople	† 3.05 pm	† 5.10 pm
Butler, Foxburg, Kane	† 8.15 am	† 5.30 pm
Butler, Conn. Lake, Erie	† 8.15 am	† 6.05 pm
Butler	†11.00 am	† 9.40 am
Butler, Conn. Lake, Erie	† 1.15 pm	† 1.00 pm
Ellwood City	† 1.15 pm	† 6.50 pm
Butler, Clarion, Greenville	† 3.00 pm	†10.25 am
Butler, Ellw'd, N. Castle	† 5.30 pm	† 9.40 am
Butler	† 8.20 pm	† 5.10 pm
Ellwood, New Castle	† 6.15 pm	† 9.40 am
Butler, Foxburg	† 6.15 pm	† 7.25 pm
Butler	†11.30 pm	† 7.25 pm

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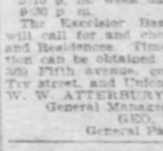
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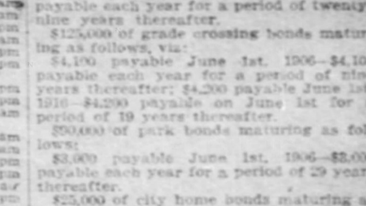
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Bicknell Young Lucidly Explains the Principles of Christian Science.

IS FOUNDED ON THE BIBLE

The big auditorium of the Nixon theater was crowded yesterday afternoon with an audience that listened attentively to a lucid exposition of the principles of Christian Science by Bicknell Young, C. S. B., of Chicago. The lecture was under the auspices of First Church of Christ, Scientist, which but recently dedicated a handsome new church edifice in Clyde street, near Fifth avenue.

Mr. Young, who had for his subject "Christian Science Proven Unity of Religion and Science," was introduced to the audience by A. Bruce Cofroth, first reader of the local church body, and without preliminary the speaker took up his subject.

"Is it not true," he said, "that almost anything in relation to mere material hypotheses may take the name of science unchallenged? How is it that those things which relate to God, to Spirit and His laws, which must be based upon eternal facts and must therefore be unquestionably scientific, and indeed immeasurably more so than all other things, are relegated to the realm of belief? Any question as to the science of the Christian religion must be forever settled by anyone who cares to look the matter squarely in the face."

The True Science.

Jesus never failed in anything that he attempted. He healed all diseases, whether called curable or incurable, and without the use of drugs or any material remedies. He fed the hungry, saved sinners and raised the dead, all by the power of Spirit. He overcame the death of His own body and finally rose to the full realization of his natural image as the son of God, the son of Spirit. In other words, He overcame all the laws of material existence in what is most appropriately called the ascension. These works have been considered miraculous, but there is no evidence to show that they were miraculous to Him.

On the contrary they illustrated the unchanging nature of God's law, the law of good, and proved its absolute power over all evil. His method reflected the infinitude of God. Could anything be more scientific than that? That it was Christian no one will dispute; that it was unfailing and therefore scientific in the highest sense the facts prove. It was then both Christian and scientific, or Christian Science, and it must still be the same, if it healed the sick then it can do so now, and the fact is, it does so. He knew that He had a certain law of doing His works and that it could be learned. He said that those who believed in His name should do similar works, and the best interpretations indicate that to believe in His name meant to understand His teachings. He also declared, "He that believeth on me, the works that I do shall he do also; and greater works than these shall he do; because I go to the Father." Christian Science explains the words, "I go to the Father," by showing that they relate to His exalted thought, which Paul describes as "the mind which was in Christ Jesus," and which are continually seeking God and that when we go to the Father in this way, as he did, we shall realize the promise. Indeed, here lies humanity's difficulty.

It has generally been believed that to demonstrate science was purely a matter of intellectual proficiency. Christian Science declares what science really is, and that its demonstration depends upon understanding and growth. All that is true in any science must relate to eternal facts, or truth, and truth is God. This all science must be seen to ultimate in spirit or truth, and be discerned more clearly through its science.

The Belief in Prayer.

Christian scientists believe in prayer. They know that to pray without ceasing is the right way to live. Humanity has prayed in some way always, and always has erred vainly, until it sometimes seems as though prayer has become merely a formal habit, yielding perhaps some comfort, but barren of practical results. Is it not clear that there must be something the matter with prayer that is unanswered? Do people generally expect an answer to prayer? Suppose for a moment that all prayers were to be answered. Can human language depict the chaos that would reign in consequence? Surely our loving heavenly Father does not disregard a righteous prayer. The general belief about prayer has been self-evidently wrong. The example of Jesus proves that the right way of praying results practically. He said: "I know that Thou hearest me always." He evidently knew that His prayer was heard. He knew how to pray in such a way as to obtain an answer. Is it sacrilegious to say that His prayers were scientific? He referred all power to God. He said: "There is none good but one, that is God." "If I do not the works of my Father, believe me not." Today similar works are done in a similar manner, not because of personality either in his time or ours, but because in Christian Science God is an ever present help in time of trouble and at all other times. Christian Science still does the works of the Father as it did in the time of Jesus.

Jesus said He came to fulfill the law. No doubt He means the law of God, which to His hearers was embodied in the law of Moses. Christian Science does not proclaim a new God nor a new law, but comes declaring the same God and the same law that Jesus declared the one infinite, eternal God, and His good and unchangeable law. Christian Science declares God to be creator and cause, and subscribes to all the definitions of God given by Christian denominations generally. Furthermore, it amplifies, broadens and uplifts our thought concerning Him by declaring that God is Mind.

God and His Law.

God is divine Principle, and these definitions are most appropriate, for Mind and divine Principle indicate the very nature and essence of Deity. Mind agrees with the universally accepted declaration that God is infinite Intelligence, and brings the divine fact of the omnipresence of God more clearly to our consciences. Divine Principle shows that God is unchangeable, perfect and eternal in volition and action. Could any word more fully express the nature of Him "with whom is no variableness neither shadow of turning?" What is the use of words if it be not indeed to produce clear thought in relation to a given subject? No words can change God. They only help or hinder humanity's attempt to understand Him. Personal is one of the words that have hindered. Christian Science does not deny the personality of God as some have supposed, but it must of necessity deny that infinity can be humanly personal. To speak of God as personal in the same sense that we use the word humanly is nothing less than sacrilege. God must be infinite personality, and no other thought of His personality should be entertained. Again, to make a personality of anything and worship it as God, would at once be called idolatrous. Is it less so because the picture is mental? St. John says: "No man hath seen God at any time." Evidently St. John meant that God could not be discerned nor pictured to the physical sense.

Whoever affirms the omnipotence, omniscience and omnipresence of God, denies any power, knowledge or presence to evil. In fact, he denies the reality of evil, a thing for which Christian Scientists have not infrequently been condemned by those who say they believe in the omnipotence, omniscience and omnipresence of God.

Christian Science declares in accordance with the Scriptures that God is Life, Truth and Love. The law that Jesus came to fulfill was the law of this ever-present, all-knowing, all-powerful God, who is Good, who is Life, Truth and Love, and whose law must conform to His infinite goodness.

It has sometimes been asked if Christian Scientists believe in Christ. Who is a believer, the one who preaches merely, or the one who practices? Who believes in a science such as the science of numbers, for example? Surely it will be answered, he who trusts his affairs to it.

The True Believers.

Who believes in Christ? They who only say they do, and fail to do the works of Christ, or they who trust absolutely in the teachings of Jesus and strive to do the works he commanded? I say without fear of successful contradiction that of all people on earth, Christian Scientists believe most absolutely in Christ. They utterly repudiate the assertion that they are unchristian.

They accept the teachings of Christ Jesus without reservation. Theories as to what constitutes orthodox religion, on the other hand, reject the healing power from the gospel and attempt to explain their failure to obey the command of Jesus to heal the sick by saying that it was intended for His time only, although there is nothing in the Bible to justify such an assumption. If one of His commands was intended for His time only, then all were, and the whole Christian religion falls to the ground. The fact is the healing power continued to be exercised in the early Christian church for about three centuries, and was then lost through the introduction of ecclesiasticism. The teachings of Jesus rest upon eternal truth, and His commands were equally intended for all time. He did not say that Christ would leave the earth when He left it. He declared the eternity of Christ. "Before Abraham was, I am." "I will not leave you comfortless: I will come to you." His career reveals the power of God to govern man righteously here through the mind that was in Christ Jesus.

Founded on the Bible.

Christian Science is founded on the Bible. The text book of Christian Science is what it purports to be, and includes, as its title indicates, a key to the scriptures.

"Science and Health" is a commentary upon the Bible. Other denominations have commentaries, but no other book in the world has ever revealed the power of truth to heal the sick, and enabled people to learn the science of the scriptures by which this healing is achieved. The numerous cases of healing accomplished by the perusal of this book are as authentic as to be beyond question. Scores of people have testified to such healing, and some of them have done so under oath, in courts of law, and their testimony has not been in the least shaken by cross-examination. Some of these cases involved the most terrible diseases known to mankind. No material system has ever succeeded in healing a cancer, but Christian Science has healed hundreds of them, as well as other so-called incurable diseases, such as locomotor ataxia, tuberculosis, epilepsy and others considered less dangerous but equally incurable, such as asthma, hay fever, St. Vitas' dance.

Christian Science begins where theories leave off. It declares that God as Cause, Life, Truth, must be knowable, and in reality the only knowable because Truth is all there is to know. It shows that if there is anything about religion that is true it must be based upon fact. It bases upon facts the facts may be known, since unknowable facts would be a contradiction in terms. A knowledge of God must therefore be not only possible, but imperative. How shall it be attained? If God is Mind or divine Principle, He is expressed actively and operatively in divine ideas. These must be sought and entertained until thought is transformed.

If the facts which have been declared in reference to God are admitted, then man, His image, must be something more than that which ordinarily seen. Christian Science denies that the evidence of the five material senses can be accepted as absolute in reference to man, his real being, his health or his life. Generally speaking, man is thought to be both material and spiritual. It is declared that he is mortal, that is, that he must die, and yet that he is the image and likeness of God, or in other words, the image and likeness of immortal life.

When he is dead it is supposed he will begin to be immortal. Christian Science shows that such theories do not reveal the truth about man. It declares that man is not material, and that a mortal cannot be the image and likeness of God, who is immortal, but only the presentation of the evidence of the senses. Immortality and real being is discerned in science. Christian Science, therefore, looks away from materiality in considering man, and declares that the image and likeness of God, or Life, must be spiritual and ever-living. Man must be like God to be like God, like Truth, like Love; he must be the likeness of the Divine Mind, the image of Divine Principle. This true likeness discerned in Science is the true self that all men should seek, and they should not manifest any other self. Such a course means health and harmony to those who follow it.

The Evidence of the Senses.

We are all more or less familiar with the truth that ever physical science discerns facts beyond the evidence of the senses and contrary thereto. As for the realm of thought which we characterize as religious or spiritual, it would not even exist if one were to accept merely the evidence of the senses. "Faith the substance of things hoped for, the evidence of things not seen," according to sense, receives no encouragement from the testimony of the senses, for, according to that, man is material and mortal, and his life between the cradle and the grave is all there is of him. According to this same testimony, matter is all, and Spirit, or God, is a myth. But nobody, not even the most material minded, accepts the evidence of the senses without reservation. Not a prayer is uttered on earth that is not a virtual declaration against such evidence. Christians rise above it continually, and should do so still more. Christian Science shows how to accomplish this. It may be easy to conceive of a first great Cause, but it is vastly more difficult not to do so. It may be difficult to conceive of God as Spirit and man as spiritual, but if this be not true, there is no God, no Cause. Indeed, all that relates to God is contrary to the testimony of the senses.

It is clear, therefore, that we do nothing unusual in denying the evidences of the senses, but Christian Science is unusual in making this denial applicable when anything exists or arises that is contrary to the harmony of man.

An erroneous notion prevails that Christian Scientists deny the reality of things. They do not such thing. They affirm the external existence of all things, including man and all the functions of man. Christian Science, however, does resolve things into thoughts and declares that all exist in their perfect individual reality and proper order in the divine Mind. Conversely it denies the materiality of things, and in that denial includes all the discordant conditions that material things manifest. Christian Science shows how the body is controlled by mentality, consciously or unconsciously, all the time. The object of its practice is to establish consciously the control of the divine Mind over the body through the declarations of the Truth and the denial of all that is unlike it as revealed in Christian Science. This process demands the highest morality and spirituality on the part of the practitioner in order to be successful. Christian Scientists are endeavoring to purify sense and self and yet it is sometimes said that they have no baptism. They are endeavoring to commune consciously and constantly with good, with God, and yet it is said that they have no communion. Why, Christian Science practice involves both baptism and communion in the highest sense.

True Spiritual Healing.

Christian Science is quite as good for children as for adults. Thousands of children suffering with contagious and other terrible diseases have been restored to health and life through the intervention of Christian Science after they had been given up to die by medical practitioners. Thousands of children have been healed of chronic invalidism and of terrible deformities through the action of Christian Science when all other means have failed. Indeed Christian Science has been proven the most efficient healing agency known to man.

Tardily the followers of material systems begin to acknowledge the part that mentality plays in disease and its cure, but as they have always looked for cause and cure in the wrong direction, so now with the perversity of long established habit of incorrect thinking, they ascribe the cures effected by Christian Science to mental suggestion, will power, hypnotism, mental science, which are spurious and not related to Christian Science. When it is denied that God heals disease through Christian Science, these people generally scoff at the idea. Wherefore is this assumption of superiority that considers itself a judge of all things? Do the failures of 4,000 years of materia medica to find the scientific way of healing the sick; does the failure of orthodox religion to do so according to the command of Jesus, endow either with the wisdom or right to judge and condemn that which heals the sick? Who should know best how Christian Science heals?

Again we quite frequently hear from the pulpit, after a recounting of a lot of mere opinions as to what Christian Science is, that there is nothing new in it; it is Buddhism or what not. Let it be said unequivocally that such assertions are mere exhibitions of ignorance. Christian Science is utterly unlike any Oriental theory of philosophy or religion. That anyone should consider them alike shows that he understands neither these theories nor Christian Science.

It is quite true that Christian Science is not new in one sense, since there can be nothing new to eternal truth. It is in accord with the Decalogue and the Sermon on the Mount, which express the essence of truth. It cannot therefore be new in principle, but as made applicable to the dire needs of humanity, it is new. Although the influence of mentality upon disease is now acknowledged, who was there that believed it prior to 1875, when "Science and Health" was first published? The author of that book is the first person to discern the cause of disease correctly, and to give an adequate and complete analysis of its cause, and to-day that book stands alone in this respect as well as in the rules for treating disease metaphysically. Christian science shows that anything which is capable of doing evil has no origin in God, but is only a part of error. It therefore declares that hypnotism is not a proper method for treating disease. The good it sometimes seems to do eventually results in a worse condition. Man is properly influenced by the divine mind only, and the human mind cannot outline that influence nor picture it.

Along the vista of time we see here and there the great characters that have illumined the history of the race. We scarcely dare to think what the world would have been had not there appeared from time to time a man or woman good enough and great enough to be touched by eternal truth, and brave and self-sacrificing enough to stand for it. Mrs. Eddy discovered and proclaimed to the world the God given freedom of the race from all sickness, sin, want and woe. She revealed the science by which men may begin to realize that freedom and enter upon their heritage of righteous dominion over all evil.

Some time this knowledge had to come. According to the promise of Jesus, it was to be the spirit of truth, the comforter leading into all truth. Some one had to be good and pure above all others in order to perceive it. Any great discovery along a given line is always made by one whose thoughts, desires and studies are reaching out beyond those of other people. The world is somewhat accustomed to Christian Science today, and it is a welcome subject in many circles, and its wonderful and blessed achievements are generally acknowledged, but there was a time when Mrs. Eddy was the only Christian Scientist on earth, when she stood absolutely alone with God before the whole world and incurred the ridicule of ignorance and the hostility of theoretical forms of religion and material modes of medicine because of her discovery of Christian Science. Today all religions and all methods of healing are somewhat touched by it.

The world is uplifted by her teachings and example. Through the silent and loving influence of the science which she teaches, human thought is uprising somewhat from the depths of gross materialism. Where would it be today, where would we be but for the purity of purpose, unswerving perseverance and sublimity of courage displayed by Mrs. Eddy through years of trial and persecution? Who that has gained any knowledge of Christian Science but regards with a shudder the memory of the time when he did not possess it, when in the language of Scripture, "the earth was without form and void, and darkness was upon the face of the deep." The gratitude of such a one will never let him forget that in his individual experience through Mrs. Eddy's discovery of Christian Science, the spirit of God moved upon the face of the waters and God said "let there be light, and there was light."

Never an Angry Reply.

It is not strange that every epithet of vilification and hatred should have been directed against this consecrated woman, since history shows that every person who has revealed a step in moral or religious reformation has been hated and maligned by that which was in need of such reformation. Though seemingly natural, it is none the less reprehensible that the pulpit, which ought to welcome every hope of deliverance and every message of peace and good will, has joined in the cry of condemnation. To all of this Mrs. Eddy has never made an angry reply. Whatever others may do, she practices the gospel that she teaches, the gospel of Christ, the gospel of love.

These are the simple facts. I should consider it presumptuous to praise Mrs. Eddy. A character touched by the deepest humility and illuminated with love of God and compassion for man is Christlike. It needs no eulogy. Her life is an open book wherein are recorded only good deeds. The signs of these times are prophetic. They point to the grandeur to God that is appearing in the hearts of man for the life and works of the leader of this great movement, destined, as it is, to accomplish the regeneration of mankind.

We should be aroused to gain the freedom which is God given, which is ours by right, which is an inheritance, lawful, incorruptible, that fadeth not away. It is awakening assertion of our right to it. God is good. You cannot find a place in the universe where He ever fails to be what He naturally and eternally is. Christian Science demands, however, something more than mere passive acquiescence or belief in it. Simply believing in good offers slight protection from evil. The fangs of hatred and malice must be drawn. Active work in consciousness. Christian Science protects from sin, disease, accident and every evil through the power of divine Love. It is an individual as well as universal benediction. It comes to you and to me in our greatest or smallest need, revealing that which saves to the uttermost, declaring the eternal Christ, and it says with Isaiah, "Arise, shine, for thy light is come."

IS IT BLUE MONDAY FOR YOU? THEN SEARCH FOR REASON

If You Missed Your Sunday Gazette Your Uneasy Condition Is Easily Accounted For.

Is It "Blue Monday" for you? If so there is a reason for it. Probably transgressed the laws of nature somewhat on the day you didn't work; had a big Sunday dinner, perhaps, and your digestion is still slightly shaded. Or did you forget something and the realization of it is preying on your mind? Departing from a routine is often disastrous. You get used to a certain amount of rest or a certain kind of food or a certain form of entertainment and find it hard to break away. Did you forget your Gazette yesterday? It's hardly likely, but if such should prove the case your uneasy, dissatisfied feeling today is easily accounted for. And no wonder things don't seem to be going right, for you certainly missed a good number. To say nothing of the news—it is always taken for granted that all of the news is in The Sunday Gazette—that third section yesterday was certainly filled with just the kind of matter that literary people like to while away the time on Sunday. For those of a serious turn of mind what could be more suitable than Dr. Edward Everett Hale's talks on religion and reform? What would have a greater tendency toward keeping the boy quiet than John Kendrick Bangs' tales of "Jimmieboy in Trustland?" What more interesting to the men of money than those articles in The Sunday Gazette on Morgan and Hill? There were stories for the book worm, for the traveler, for those with an artistic bent, in fact the aim of the great paper: "To Please all Classes of Readers," could not have been better carried out. And as for the news:

Russian officers at Manila confirm stories of the deadly use of submarines by the Japs in the recent naval battle. President Roosevelt received in conference Mr. Takahira, the Japanese minister, and all of the leading powers in Europe have pledged their support in the president's efforts toward peace. Ambassador Reid, on landing at Plymouth and Southampton, was welcomed by delegations. The Duchess Cecilia entered Berlin and was graciously received by the German people. King Alfonso of Spain attended a review of troops at Vincennes.

A suit for criminal libel was begun against President Shea of the Teamsters' union. A strong effort will be made to prevent the dissolution of the steel billet pool. "Bluebeard" Hoch, on being sentenced to be hanged, created a scene in court by forgiving his prosecutors and praying for mercy on their souls. President Roosevelt and King Edward refused the request of the secretary of the Confederate Veterans' Union to send greetings to that body. A school for teaching railway men a systematic plan of robbery has been discovered in New Jersey after enormous thefts had been perpetrated. The attorney general of Wisconsin may have the charter of the alleged paper trust revoked. James Franklin Taylor was selected as candidate for additional law judge at the Republican primaries in Washington county. Democratic primaries were held in a number of counties.

Mrs. Sarah W. Muir denied she deserted her husband, but insisted that his treatment and threats compelled her to leave. The building inspector has ordered the walls of the Avenue theater to be razed to the second story. A big zoo for native animals will be built in Riverview park, Allegheny. The finance committee of Pittsburgh councils may take the appointment of revenue collector out of Controller Larkin's hands.

The Pirates were defeated by the Chicagos by a score of 4 to 0. There are so many fight clubs springing up in San Francisco that the game is likely to be spoiled. Cleveland still in the lead in the American league. Jack Root and Marvin Hart are to meet in the first finish fight that has taken place in years. Beaumont is still the real leading batsman in the National league. Yale was administered a crushing defeat by Princeton, and Kiski beat Shadyside. In capturing the championship meet in the western colleges, Chicago broke some records.

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EXECUTOR'S SALE.

The old Pigham homestead of 120 acres, adjoining the borough of Slippery Rock, Pa., will be offered at public sale on Saturday, June 17, at 1 o'clock p. m., on the premises. The farm has complete set of buildings, a good orchard, plenty of timber and coal, is well fenced and in good state of cultivation. This is an ideal home, convenient to churches, and only ½ mile from the Slippery Rock tate Normal school.

This property is in good location for plotting as an addition to the borough—a "sure" good investment. W. Henry Wilson, executor.

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MANUFACTURING SITE CLOSE TO CITY FOR SALE OR LEASE FOR TERM OF YEARS—Fronts Ohio river, also R. R. right at station; 15 minutes' ride to city; 60 trains a day; sell or lease any size tract up to 5 on the line of new ship canal to Lake Erie; is the best located site near the city.

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FOR SALE.

A most prominently located Braddock avenue, East End, building site, 85 by 226 feet. For information see Commonwealth Real Estate Company, 227-229 Fourth ave."

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TIMBER—2,500 acres, estimated 9,000,000 feet of oak, chestnut and poplar; fences, poles, piling and railroad ties; also mills and equipment; $15 cent foot rate to Pittsburgh; correspondence invited with practical timber men. Address C 85, The Gazette.

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FOR SALE—A few good homes cheap; mortgage was foreclosed; will sell about half price, cash or payments. Rowe, 14 Norman av., Allegheny. 'Phone Cedar 649 J.

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MONEY TO LOAN IN LARGE OR SMALL SUMS; RATES FROM 4½ PER CENT UP. IF YOUR SECURITY IS AMPLE, WE WILL DO PROMPT CONFIDENTIAL BUSINESS. THE CURRIER COMPANY, 248 FOURTH AVE.

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PROPOSALS.

PROPOSALS FOR CLOTHING AND EQUIPAGE SUPPLIES—Chief Quartermaster's Office, Chicago, Ill., May 28, 1905. Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 12 noon, June 29, 1905, for delivery at either the Philadelphia, New York, Boston, Chicago or San Francisco depot, of breast cords, dress caps, metallic ornaments (hat, collar and cap), linen collars, jean drawers, muskrat and buckskin gauntlets, buckskin, white cotton and yellow horsehide gloves, campaign hats, hat cords, chambray and muslin shirts, cotton gray, undershirts, wool blankets, bedsacks, bedsheets, mattress covers, mosquito bars, pillow cases, telescope cases, trumpets, trumpet cords, bronze buttons, color slings, music pouches, white facing cloth, leggings, rubber boots, D. B. cloth, S. B. kersey, olive drab lasting and serge; for delivery at either the Philadelphia, Boston, New York, Chicago, San Francisco or St. Louis depot, of iron bedsteads; for delivery at either the Philadelphia, Boston or Chicago depot, of khaki and shelter tent duck; for delivery at the Philadelphia depot of hospital, shelter, storage and wall tent poles; for delivery at either the Philadelphia or Jeffersonville depot of mattresses and pillows; for delivery at either the Philadelphia or Chicago depot of "B" silk, cotton glimp, silk buttons, hooks and eyes, collar hooks, corded braid, beeswax, shelter tent buckles and buttons, gilling line, grommets, bronze slides, russet leather, cotton rope, resin, tent line, rings and slips, plates and chains, cotton twine. Government reserves right to accept or reject any or all proposals or any part thereof. Preference given to articles of domestic production and manufacture, conditions of quality and price (including in the price of foreign articles, duties and manufactures the duty thereon) being equal. Information furnished on application. Envelopes containing proposals to be indorsed, "Proposals for Clothing and Equipage Supplies," and addressed to Lieut.-Col. W. H. Miller, C. Q. M.

PROPOSALS for Stationery, Supplies, etc., for the several departments of the state government of Pennsylvania.
Office of the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings,
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W. P. Snyder, Attorney General.
W. L. Mathues, State Treasurer.
J. M. Shumaker, Superintendent.

Proposals for Furnishing Stationery, Fuel and other Supplies.

In compliance with the constitution and laws of the commonwealth of Pennsylvania, we hereby invite sealed proposals, at prices below maximum rates fixed in schedules, to furnish stationery, fuel and other supplies for the several departments of the state government and for making repairs in the several departments and for the distribution of the public documents for the year ending the first Tuesday of June, A. D. 1906. Separate proposals will be received and separate contracts awarded as announced in the schedules. Each proposal must be accompanied by a bond, with at least two sureties or one surety company, approved by a judge of the court of common pleas of the county in which the person or persons making such proposals may reside, conditioned for the faithful performance of the contract, and addressed and delivered to the board of commissioners of public grounds and buildings before 12 o'clock m. of Tuesday, the 6th day of June, A. D. 1905, at which time the proposals will be opened and published, in the auditor general's department, at Harrisburg, and contracts awarded as soon thereafter as practicable. Blank bonds and schedules containing all necessary information can be obtained at the office of the mayor.

J. M. SHUMAKER,
For the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings.

NOTICE TO PRINTERS AND BINDERS—Office of the mayor, Allegheny, Pa., June 2, 1905. Sealed proposals will be received at the office of the mayor until 2:45 o'clock p. m., June 12, 1905, for the printing and binding of two hundred copies (200) of the annual reports of the several departments of the city government for the fiscal year 1904-1905. Sample of the work to be done and all information can be obtained at the office of the mayor. Each proposal must be accompanied by a bond, with two sureties, probated before the city comptroller, or the bond of a surety trust company which has complied with the ordinance with reference to furnishing bonds for contracts in the sum of 50 per cent of the amount of the contract. The right is reserved to reject or accept any or all bids. Proposals will be opened in the office of the mayor at 3:30 o'clock p. m., same date. James G. Wyman, mayor. James Brown, city comptroller.

U. S. ENGINEER OFFICE, PITTSBURGH, PA., JUNE 2, 1905.—Sealed proposals for building and erecting 6 bear-trap gates in the Ohio river, Pennsylvania; 2 each at dam No. 3 at Glenosborne, dam No. 4, near Legionville, and dam No. 5, near Freedom, about 11, 18 and 25 miles, respectively, below Pittsburgh, Pa., will be received here until 12 m. July 3, 1905, then publicly opened. Information furnished on application. Wm. L. Sibert, Major Engineers.

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PERKINS' UNION DETECTIVE AGENCY, 331 Fourth ave.—Telephones (private exchange) 1683-1684 Court.

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LOST—A pair of gold rim spectacles in black bead case, on Perrysville ave. car. Reward if left at Arnfeld's, 1111 Penn ave.

AUCTION SALE.

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HAVE JUST RECEIVED TWO CARLOADS OF MAGNIFICENT SAMPLE FURNITURE. THE SAME WILL BE OFFERED AT PUBLIC AUCTION ON TUESDAY, JUNE 6, AT 10 O'CLOCK.

This furniture is from a prominent manufacturer and will positively be sold to the highest bidder. Large Leather Davenport, Leather Lounges, Leather Chairs, Leather Library Suits, Bureaus, Dressing Tables, Chiffoniers, Large Lot Sample Brass Beds, Oak Sideboards, Extension Tables and Large Oak Chamber Suits. A splendid line of Baby Carriages and Go-Carts in many shapes and sizes. Dishes, Glassware, Bric-a-Brac and Mirrors, Oak Folding Bed, Bedding and Portiers, Gas Range, Office Desk and Chair. Also a large consignment from a hotel that is being remodeled, of second-hand Rugs, and Carpets in Wilton, Brussels and Velvets, in 20 sizes and colorings. This is the greatest bargain sale this year.

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Will be sold at auction, for account of whom it may concern, at No. 239 Fourth avenue (Hostetter building),

Monday, June 12th, at 3:30 P. M.

$15,000 First Mortgage Bonds of the Delaware River Steel Casting Co.

JOHN D. BAILEY, Auctioneer.

POSTOFFICE NOTICE.

UNCALLED FOR LETTERS remaining at the Pittsburgh postoffice Monday, June 5, 1905. When calling for letters please mention above date.

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E—Mrs. George Earich, Nellie Edmonds, Mrs. Annie B. Eley, Mrs. Ellerson, Mrs. James Elliott, Clara Elnstein, Mrs. Priscilla Ernest, Catherine Eshep, Josie Evans (2).

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J—Jackson, Miss Nellie Janes, Mrs. Margaret Jenkins, Mrs. H. J. Jones, Elizabeth Jones, Mrs. Margaret Jones.

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Y—Maggie Young, Meredith Young.

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J—J. W. Jackson, Rev. H. V. Jamison Por., Jan Jarowski, Richard Jefferson, R. E. Jelkyl, A. P. Johnson, Chas. A. Johnston, Chas. R. Johnson, T. Chalmers Johnston, Tom Johnson, E. A. Jones, Chas. Jones, C. R. Jones, T. F. Jones, D. J. Job, F. Jobe, Rak Juzetly, Chas F. Juechter.

K—Norst Kam, P. B. Kelchner, John Kelly, J. C. Kepler, David Kennedy, Jos. Matthew Kennedy, Jno. Kerr, T. F. Kervin, Lonuel Kidd, Jno. A. Kibner, P. King, W. M. Kiase, Geo. Kirby, H. Kirkpatrick, Mr. Klein, Chas. Knight, Lawrence Koehl, M. A. Kaerber, C. F. Kranz, L. Kuder.

L—Jno. Lappan, Jos. Lasko, Can Lawson, Dr. Lawrence, Geo. M. Laycock, Harry Leslie, Warne Leslie, S. Levendowski, T. J. Leith, Percy Leyman, Jas. E. Lindsay, J. M. Linhardt (2), Jas. Linsey, Jos. Liys, Dave Label, R. Lohr, Mr. Longmove, J. Love, C. G. Leckie, J. Kadle Lukins, P. Lubinace, Jas. C. Lyons.

M—Jas. Marlow, A. N. Makinson, Robt. Malone, Por., Chas Marx, Marian Martinezaer, Jack Martin, James Martin, Rev. J. W. Martin, D. D. Mash, Mr. Meinhart, Mr. Meseball, J. R. Michael, Jno. Mifflenti, H. B. Miller, R. Miller, J. Miller, B. D. Miller, Robt. S. Miller, W. H. Miller, Wm. Miller, Robt. Mogill, Josiah Monroe, G. H. Moorehead, Thos B. Montgomery, F. P. Moore, F. W. Moore, Wm. Moore, P. E. Morris, Raymond Mroellick, R. K. Mugeil, Chas. F. Mueller, Frank Murdock, W. E. Murray, Isaac McBride, W. McClosky, Rev. Wm. McClung, Jas. McCleary, Frank McDonald (2), G. McDonald, Henry McDevitt, W. R. McGinness, T. H. McGraw, W. J. McKeaver, Jas. R. McLaughlin, J. M. McMorry, Jas. McNulty, John McParland.

N—Rev. A. E. Neal, H. C. Neel, F. B. Neal, F. J. Nevel, R. W. Nichols, Jr., Charly Nordin, Ralph Norins, A. F. Nunlsmye.

O—C. W. Organ, Lee On, S. L. Osborn, Wm. K. Osborne, Rev. John Owens, J. T. O'Reilly.

P—Peter Panholster, Andro Palno, Jas. Parker, Jas. F. Parker, Willie Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Patch, Albert Patent, Michael Pellegrino, Louie Pensel, Narciseo Pettigrini, W. C. Perry, Lonnie Pierce, Enrico Piedlmonte, Jan Paulk, Ligot Portabandiere, D. F. Powell (For.), Konsal Priest, Antoni Puleoni.

R—Rev. Emil Race, C. W. Ramsey, T. H. Reha, John Rehsmann, Bec. H. Reh, Arthur D. Rees, S. V. Reed (D. L.), Rev. Jas. F. Reed, Robt. Reid, Nekles S. Reysto, G. W. Richardson, Louis Rieck, Herman E. Ries, Wm. Rimmel, Sam Riter, Mr. Rilinger, Ed. W. J. Robertson, Jas. Robinson, J. Robinson, A. J. Rocky (2), J. Rodgers, G. Rodfo, Frank Rogers, C. A. Rose, Jno. D. Rose, Nat Rose, Jas. L. Rowe (D. L.), Salvatore Rugiero, Percets Russell (D. L.), W. R. Russell.

S—Frank M. Saunders, A. J. Sauvaglot, L. J. Schloss, Marley Schoch, Jno. Schrieter, Wm. M. Schreuiser, M. Schofield (D. L.), Geo. W. Schuster, Chas. Scott, Mr. Scott, L. V. Scott, Hugh D. Scott, Walter Scott, Will Scott, Andy Scortah, J. F. Sexauer, Pat Shanley, Jacob Shamble, G. J. Shannon, Arthur Shaw, Rev. G. A. Sheets, T. E. Shirley, J. H. Shiber, W. A. Shinn, Orville Shock, M. P. Silbankie, Albert Silverberg, John Sibila, W. Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Slocum, John Sleth, A. H. Smith, O. Smith, Dr. and Mrs. P. F. Smith, W. P. Smith, D. W. Smitzer, H. K. Solomon, Charlie Saltz, Alphone Sounier, Frank Souppe, Luigi Sonatell, Burt Spencer, Jno. I. Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. Alden Spring, A. F. Staley, De Forest Stanford, Mr. Stannard, Dan Staples, Jessie Sterling, Rev. M. Stefanich, J. W. Stewart, Mr. Stewart, S. C. Stewart, C. O. Stockdale, W. H. Stoddard, Harra Stokes, D. R. Stoopes, A. M. Stones, Robt. Strother, F. B. Strunz, Mr. Harry Stunkard, Rev. C. F. Swift, Witold Szenborski.

T—John Taft, P. Tannsky, Herman Taylor, Gary D. Terrell, Rev. J. H. Thompson, J. W. Thompson, W. Thompson, P. G. Tice, Rev. G. W. Traut, Nelson P. Trickey, Howard Tully, M. Twomey, Charles Tyler.

U—H. L. Uhlen.

V—T. W. Van Kirk, Anelyo Van Horn, W. D. Van Schaack.

W—J. W. Wall, Joe Walker, H. J. Walker, Frank Warren, Walter W. Warren, F. A. Ward, Jno Ward (D. L.), Jno. Ward, Robt. M. Ward, Tom Ward (2), Clifford R. Wassell, Robt. Washington, Jas. W. Watt, Andi Wavro, Jno. M. Weatherby (D. L.), Fred J. Wehn, C. T. Webster, Fred Weimer, J. G. Weid, Andy Wenzel, Saml A. West, Levi Wiener, Jno. B. White, Bruce Whitehead, Stanley Wicker, G. P. Wilhelm, Maron Wilkins, Willie Williams, C. B. Williams, L. B. Williams, L. Williams, Wm. Wills, R. F. Wilson, Geo. Wilson, Robt. H. Wilson, Tom Wilson, Chas. Wise (D. L.), Geo. W. Wise, August Wittmann, A. G. Walcott, Michael Woodward, Clayton J. Woodworth, A. E. Woof (4), H. S. Wood, Clarence Woods, Joe Woods, Jas. Weck, Charlie Wright, John D. Wright, J. R. Wright, Jas. H. Wyant, G. Wyckoff.

Y—Dr. Yaley.

Z—Wm. H. Zacharias, Frank H. Zimmaster, Henry Zolliver.

FIRMS.

Wm. Amann & Co., Wm. Bell & Bros., M. Burk & Co., Calahan & Hook, Knight & Straub, Frank Bros., H. L. Gould & Son, A. G. Hathaway & Co., Irish Bros., Johnson & Lomek, Jones & Co., McDougal & Potter, Richards & Evans, Reinhart & Co. (For.), Semmatt & Sons, J. Shoup Co., Edward R. Tryon, Jr., & Co., Weed & Co.

MISCELLANEOUS.

American Mfg. Co. (For.), American Tin Roofing Co., American Zinc & Chemical Co., Anchor Bottle Wks., Atlantic Confectionery Co., Autom

BANK STATEMENTS.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

MONONGAHELA NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 29, 1905.

RESOURCES.

Investement securities	$ 245,000 00	
Loans and discounts	5,047,374 87	
		$5,292,374 87
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		490 41
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		500,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		14,437 50
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		264,013 46
Other real estate and mortgages owned		15,551 70
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$250,519 87	
Due from state banks and bankers	305,503 70	
Due from approved reserve agents	886,810 92	
Checks and other cash items	35,886 78	
Exchanges for clearing house	91,858 26	
Notes of other national banks	7,600 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	707 79	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	98,005 00	
Legal tender notes	528,282 00	
		$1,498,828 51
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		15,000 00
Due from U. S. treasurer, other than 5 per cent redemption fund		1,100 00
Total		$7,402,796 45

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$1,000,000 00
Surplus fund		1,500,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		221,071 74
National bank notes outstanding		300,000 00
Due to other national banks	$ 559,188 59	
Due to state banks and bankers	69,207 36	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	993,441 43	
Dividends unpaid	38 00	
Individual deposits, subject to check	2,446,203 12	
Time certificates of deposit	86,765 97	
Certified checks	32,953 25	
Cashier's checks outstanding	23,931 99	
		4,181,724 71
Bills payable		200,000 00
Total		$7,402,796 45

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, John D. Fraser, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN D. FRASER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 1st day of June, 1905.

G. L. RODGERS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

C. C. MAX,
GEO. M. JONES,
JOHN W. LLOYD,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

FORT PITT NATIONAL BANK

at Pittsburg, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$3,706,601 86
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		2,318 30
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		500,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		21,000 00
Stocks, securities, etc.		81,175 50
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		246,504 43
Other real estate and mortgages owned		4,700 78
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)		57,688 29
Due from state banks and bankers		10,009 24
Due from approved reserve agents		36,074 23
Checks and other cash items		13,718 85
Exchanges for clearing house		14,102 44
Notes of other national banks		1,818 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		227 72
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	$265,950 75	
Legal-tender notes	120,000 00	
		$85,950 75
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		25,000 00
Due from U. S. treasurer other than 5 per cent redemption fund		8,000 00
Total		$6,120,173 03

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$1,000,000 00
Surplus fund		1,000,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		83,218 85
National bank notes outstanding		497,900 00
Due to other national banks	$ 190,862 01	
Due to state banks and bankers	6,409 94	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	248,501 45	
Dividends unpaid	88 50	
Individual deposits, subject to check	2,029,102 44	
Cashier's checks outstanding	114,073 34	
		2,582,655 68
Total		$6,120,173 03

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, Charles S. Lindsay, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHAS. S. LINDSAY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

I. M. FICKIESEN, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

W. D. MCKEEFREY,
F. L. STEPHENSON,
R. S. ROSS,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

DIAMOND NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$3,410,918 04
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		177 10
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		300,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		5,093 75
Stocks, securities, etc.		52,600 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		861,786 20
Interest earned		12,183 45
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)		167,267 11
Due from state banks and bankers		218,234 60
Due from approved reserve agents		480,459 14
Checks and other cash items		286 63
Exchanges for clearing house		126,219 06
Bills of other national banks		26,700 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		867 69
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	$328,850 00	
Legal-tender notes	79,500 00	
		418,350 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		15,000 00
Total		$6,096,686 95

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 600,000 00
Surplus fund		1,500,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		112,445 89
Reserved for interest and taxes		4,897 27
National bank notes outstanding		296,500 00
Due to other national banks (not approved reserve agents)	$ 390,648 14	
Due to state banks and bankers	88,354 13	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	684,890 54	
Due to approved reserve agents	55,493 84	
Dividends unpaid	257 00	
Individual deposits, subject to check	2,171,026 21	
Demand certificates of deposit	87,412 45	
Certified checks	5,220 73	
Cashier's checks outstanding	169,110 66	
		3,582,642 69
Total		$6,096,686 95

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, D. C. Wills, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

D. C. WILLS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

FERD H. PHILLIPS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: THOMAS MORRISON,
J. P. MCKINNEY,
WM. V. CALLERY,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

BELLEVUE REALTY SAVINGS & TRUST CO. OF BELLEVUE,

No. 440 Lincoln ave., of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand		$ 14,817 33
Checks and other cash items		164 15
Due from banks and bankers		73,564 63
Commercial and other paper purchased		191,016 86
Call loans upon collateral		102,702 04
Time loans upon collateral		23,076 82
Investment securities owned, viz.:		
Stocks, bonds, etc.	$ 53,215 73	
Mortgages	133,525 00	
		186,740 73
Real estate, furniture and fixtures		21,770 26
Overdrafts		336 82
Total		$612,893 64

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$125,000 00
Surplus fund		32,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		18,474 56
Deposits subject to check	$189,227 84	
Deposits special	250,236 13	
		439,463 47
Certified checks outstanding		647 06
Treasurer's checks		306 56
Total		$612,893 64

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, Ralph Witherspoon, treasurer of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

RALPH WITHERSPOON, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

L. M. SHAFER, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest: WM. JENKINSON,
HENRY COOPER,
GEO. M. FADEN,
Directors.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

DUQUESNE NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$2,418,084 58
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		6,812 70
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		100,000 00
Bonds, securities, etc.		53,775 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		100,000 00
Other real estate owned		18,866 86
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)		168,197 18
Due from approved reserve agents		130,018 92
Checks and other cash items		12,144 14
Exchanges for clearing house		39,743 04
Notes of other national banks		2,840 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		203 88
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	$54,745 00	
Legal tender notes	175,000 00	
		$229,745 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		5,000 00
Total		$3,275,471 30

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$500,000 00
Surplus fund		700,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		86,958 52
National bank notes outstanding		100,000 00
Due to other national banks	$80,264 44	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	198,406 48	
Individual deposits subject to check	1,446,792 10	
Demand certificates of deposit	81,328 78	
Certified checks	17,788 13	
Cashier's checks outstanding	159,098 92	
		$1,808,812 78
Total		$3,275,471 30

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, A. M. Patterson, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. M. PATTERSON, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

J. A. MEANS, Notary Public.

My commission expires April 18, 1907.

Correct—Attest:

ROBT. JENKINS, JR.,
WILLIAM MUNHALL,
HUGH MOREN,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

METROPOLITAN NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$1,127,606 17
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		4,471 75
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		400,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		12,811 52
Bonds, securities, etc.		6,100 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		84,729 66
Other real estate owned		42,849 62
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)		84,768 03
Due from approved reserve agents		207,583 37
Checks and other cash items		1,459 56
Exchanges for clearing house		12,780 05
Notes of other national banks		2,061 19
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		4,500 00
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		863 80
Specie	$69,883 50	
Legal tender notes	33,245 00	
		$103,128 50
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		20,000 00
Total		$1,846,714 85

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$400,000 00
Surplus fund		200,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		68,227 89
National bank notes outstanding		400,000 00
Due to other national banks	$21,562 08	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	98,082 94	
Dividends unpaid	40 00	
Individual deposits subject to check	721,150 19	
Time certificates of deposit	3,345 00	
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,370 50	
		$783,486 96
Total		$ 725,802 50

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, George Seebick, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEO. SEEBICK, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

J. B. RICHARDS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

C. P. TIERS,
C. L. FLACCUS,
JAMES SCOTT,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

NATIONAL BANK OF WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$3,479,256 04
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		827 35
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		500,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		31,834 36
Stocks, securities, etc.		48,553 06
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		173,500 00
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$312,230 58	
Due from state banks and bankers	22,002 74	
Due from approved reserve agents	464,749 82	
Checks and other cash items	11,798 43	
Exchanges for clearing house	57,785 74	
Bills of other national banks	42,690 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	462 40	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	277,100 85	
Legal-tender notes	54,420 00	
		1,243,942 51
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		25,000 00
Total		$5,501,893 92

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 500,000 00
Surplus fund		400,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		91,127 56
National bank notes outstanding		500,000 00
Due to other national banks (not approved reserve agents)	$ 835,809 18	
Due to state banks and bankers	8,341 68	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	5,544 98	
Individual deposits subject to check	2,979,908 27	
Demand certificates of deposit	6,867 50	
Certified checks	3,295 94	
Cashier's checks outstanding	50,363 81	
		4,010,536 56
Total		$5,501,893 92

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, George S. Macrum, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEO. S. MACRUM, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 1st day of June, 1905.

H. T. MORRIS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

CHARLES MCKNIGHT,
D. G. STEWART,
OTIS H. CHILDS,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

CASTLE SHANNON SAVINGS & TRUST COMPANY,

of Castle Shannon, Poplar avenue, of Allegheny county Pennsylvania, at the close of business 29th day of May, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand		$5,277 18
Checks and other cash items		4 75
Due from banks and bankers		10,734 10
Commercial and other paper purchased		65,721 26
Call loans upon collateral		26,256 18
Time loans upon collateral		7,250 00
Loans upon bonds and mortgages		13,200 00
Investment securities owned, viz:		
Mortgages	$55,797 04	
		55,797 04
Real estate, furniture and fixtures		21,523 79
Overdrafts		80 87
Total		$207,815 05

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$125,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		11,808 93
Deposits, subject to check	$57,077 33	
Deposits, special	33,928 77	
		71,006 10
Total		$207,815 05

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, J. P. Kuhlman, treasurer of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. P. KUHLMAN, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

L. P. ATKINSON, Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan. 19, 1907.

Correct—Attest:

OLIVER R. LAKE,
F. C. JONES,
A. P. SMITH,
Directors.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

ALLEGHENY NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$2,688,074 81
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		6,720 93
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		150,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		6,800 00
Stocks and securities		4,000 00
Investment securities		100,000 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		90,000 00
Other real estate owned		7,111 26
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$ 80,861 58	
Due from state banks and bankers	15,000 00	
Due from approved reserve agents	114,208 54	
		210,110 07
Checks and other cash items	$ 5,476 12	
Exchanges for clearing house	118,292 59	
Bills of other national banks	66,765 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	271 98	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	678,589 30	
Legal tender notes	226,000 00	
		1,082,394 94
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		7,500 00
Total		$5,419,912 21

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 600,000 00
Surplus fund		700,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		17,686 22
National bank notes outstanding		148,797 50
Due to other national banks (not approved reserve agents)	$320,119 60	
Due to state banks and bankers	71,438 81	
Dividends unpaid	2,340 00	
Individual deposits subject to check	3,611,957 69	
Demand certificates of deposit	23,600 00	
Certified checks	23,063 68	
Cashier's checks outstanding	809 12	
		4,053,438 49
Total		$5,419,912 21

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, Montgomery, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. W. MONTGOMERY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

H. T. MORRIS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

WM. STEWART,
WALTER CHESS,
THOMAS EVANS,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

UNION NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 29, 1905.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$3,408,584 62
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		385 02
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		500,000 00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits		110,000 00
Premium on U. S. bonds		43,070 31
Bonds, securities, etc.		952,838 12
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		148,449 71
Other real estate owned		10,497 22
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)		207,583 37
Due from state banks and bankers		1,852 33
Due from approved reserve agents		420,588 81
Checks and other cash items		10,846 82
Exchange for clearing house		126,979 44
Notes of other national banks		15,005 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		862 86
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie, gold, $162,675; silver, $70,344	$232,419 00	
Legal tender notes	161,750 00	
		424,169 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		25,000 00
Due from U. S. treasurer other than 5 per cent redemption fund		6,000 00
Total		$6,410,742 48

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 500,000 00
Surplus fund		3,500,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		206,417 82
National bank notes outstanding		489,500 00
Due to other national banks	$ 196,842 32	
Due to state banks and bankers	40,484 12	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	449,997 13	
Due to approved reserve agents	82 75	
Dividends unpaid	240 00	
Individual deposits subject to check	2,393 097 88	
Certified checks	26,115 06	
Cashier's checks outstanding	56,812 93	
U. S. deposits	110,000 00	
		3,854,824 89
Total		$6,410,742 48

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, R. S. Smith, President of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. R. S. SMITH, President.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

H. T. MORRIS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

ROBERT A. ORR,
T. M. ARMSTRONG,
J. R. MCCUNE,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

INDUSTRIAL NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$1,314,817 88
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		5,755 07
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		100,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		5,500 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		58,797 88
Other real estate owned		6,052 22
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)		83,671 40
Due from state banks and bankers		34,598 01
Due from approved reserve agents		153,983 92
Checks and other cash items		8,574 76
Exchanges for clearing house		69,120 82
Bills of other national banks		5,500 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		543 00
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	$ 15,893 00	
Legal-tender notes	161,581 00	
		176,944 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		5,000 00
Due from U. S. treasurer, other than 5 per cent redemption fund		1,200 00
Total		$2,206,862 78

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 800,000 00
Surplus fund		200,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		63,880 16
National bank notes outstanding		100,000 00
Due to other national banks (not approved reserve agents)	$ 197,301 01	
Due to state banks and bankers	34,042 79	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	41,344 04	
Individual deposits subject to check	1,220,292 17	
Time certificates of deposit	10,700 00	
Certified checks	80,743 08	
Cashier's checks outstanding	2,592 56	
		1,567,982 60
Liabilities other than those above stated: Purchase money mortgage		50,000 00
Total		$2,206,862 78

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, C. M. Gerwig, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. C. M. GERWIG, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of June, 1905.

WILLIS L. CORNELL, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

JNO. W. GARLAND,
W. C. MAGEE,
L. A. ROBISON,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

OHIO VALLEY BANK

of Allegheny, No. 638-640 Preble avenue, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand		$ 11,429 82
Checks and other cash items		2,501 04
Due from banks and bankers		81,882 05
Loans and discounts		337,470 07
Investment securities owned, viz.:		
Stocks, bonds, etc.	$2,925 00	
		2,925 00
Real estate, furniture and fixtures		35,984 91
Overdrafts		265 50
		$ 422,560 29

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 100,000 00
Surplus fund		20,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		5,603 39
Deposits subject to check	$ 168,746 63	
Deposits, special	132,079 54	
Certified checks	7 78	
		296,733 95
Cashier's checks outstanding		222 95
		$ 422,560 29

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, F. B. Reynolds, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

F. B. REYNOLDS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of June, 1905.

(Signed). CHAS. F. CARVER, Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb. 24, 1907.

Correct—Attest:

JAS. P. WALL,
WM. HARTMAN,
ELMER W. MOORE,
Directors.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

COMMERCIAL NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, May 29, 1905.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$1,430,468 51
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		104 60
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		800,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		15,118 75
Bonds, securities, etc.		142,200 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		8,295 12
Due from national bank (not reserve agents)	$122,538 89	
Due from state banks and bankers	74,680 84	
Due from approved reserve agents	173,076 57	
		369,296 30
Checks and other cash items	$ 5,700 79	
Exchanges for clearing house	89,283 87	
Notes of other national banks	16,261 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	869 75	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	126,577 50	
Legal tender notes	40,000 00	
		227,318 50
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		15,000 00
Total		$2,519,736 50

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 800,000 00
Surplus fund		150,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		75,928 99
National bank notes outstanding		296,400 00
Due to other national banks (not approved reserve agents)	$ 83,127 07	
Due to state banks and bankers	89,504 98	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	145,000 00	
Individual deposits subject to check	1,388,022 85	
Demand certificates of deposit	10,112 42	
Certified checks	6,977 01	
Cashier's checks outstanding	28,813 56	
		1,680,507 00
Total		$2,510,736 50

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, H. W. Bickel, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. H. W. BICKEL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

DAVID M. THOMAS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

J. S. REYMER,
W. G. MCANDLESS,
S. BAILEY, JR.,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

FEDERAL NATIONAL BANK

At Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, May 29, 1905.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$3,004,795 38
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		13 46
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		700,000 00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits		80,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		52,736 40
Bonds, securities, etc.		294,000 00
Furniture and fixtures		25,220 49
Other real estate owned		1,206 28
Due from state banks and bankers		6,015 67
Due from state banks and bankers		6,018 67
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)		261,056 79
Due from approved reserve agents		180,826 81
Checks and other cash items		6,080 43
Exchanges for clearing house		12,025 42
Notes of other National Banks		18,775 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		655 64
Lawful money reserve in banks, viz:		
Specie	$146,205 00	
Legal tender notes	80,000 00	
		226,205 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		35,000 00
Total		$4,861,722 74

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$1,000,000 00
Surplus fund		1,000,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		248,612 56
National Bank notes outstanding		700,000 00
Due to other national banks	$ 418,556 85	
Due to state banks and bankers	42,324 90	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	112,976 80	
Dividends unpaid	97 50	
Individual deposits subject to check	1,240,916 81	
Demand certificates of deposit	56,055 00	
Certified checks	18,402 32	
Cashier's checks outstanding	110 00	
U. S. deposits	25,000 00	
		1,913,136 88
Total		$4,861,722 74

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, H. M. Landis, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. H. M. LANDIS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

O. S. RICHARDSON, Notary Public.

My commission expires March 29, 1907.

Correct—Attest:

J. E. CRAIG,
J. H. PRICE,
JOHN MURPHY,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

THIRD NATIONAL BANK

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$1,193,505 45
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		1,695 02
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		500,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		21,250 00
Stocks, securities, etc.		173,288 80
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		6,000 00
Other real estate owned		2,498 84
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)		83,671 40
Due from state banks and bankers		34,598 01
Due from approved reserve agents		153,983 92
Checks and other cash items		8,574 76
Exchanges for clearing house		69,120 82
Bills of other national banks		5,500 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		543,00
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	$ 15,893 00	
Legal-tender notes	161,581 00	
		176,944 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		5,000 00
Due from U. S. treasurer, other than 5 per cent redemption fund		1,200 00
Total		$2,206,862 78

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 800,000 00
Surplus fund		200,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		63,880 16
National bank notes outstanding		100,000 00
Due to other national banks (not approved reserve agents)	$ 197,301 01	
Due to state banks and bankers	34,042 79	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	41,344 04	
Individual deposits subject to check	1,220,292 17	
Time certificates of deposit	10,700 00	
Certified checks	80,743 08	
Cashier's checks outstanding	2,592 56	
		1,567,982 60
Liabilities other than those above stated: Purchase money mortgage		50,000 00
Total		$2,206,862 78

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, C. M. Gerwig, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. C. M. GERWIG, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of June, 1905.

WILLIS L. CORNELL, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

JNO. W. GARLAND,
W. C. MAGEE,
L. A. ROBISON,
Directors.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

LINCOLN NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 29, 1905.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$2,215,492 04
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		1,220 69
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		800,000 00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits		14,625 00
Stocks, securities, etc.		5,062 50
Furniture and fixtures		5,480 94
Other real estate owned		26,366 40
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$ 47,185 20	
Due from state banks and bankers	17,814 47	
Due from approved reserve agents	132,926 66	
Checks and other cash items	10,741 98	
Exchanges for clearing house	157,519 87	
Bills of other national banks	5,250 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	1,582 97	
		411,927 35
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	$228,800 00	
Legal-tender notes	109,750 00	
		338,550 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		15,000 00
Total		$4,332,471 50

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in		$ 600,000 00
Surplus fund		700,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		150,516 72
		$1,450,516 72
National bank notes outstanding		296,900 00
Due to other national banks (not approved reserve agents)	$ 169,083 86	
Due to state banks and bankers	142,369 38	
Due to trust companies and savings banks	58,527 41	
Dividends unpaid	85 25	
Individual deposits subject to check	2,003,962 11	
Cashier's checks outstanding	27,848 10	
		2,401,054 78
Bills payable, including certificates of deposit for money borrowed		190,000 00
Total		$4,338,471 50

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, R. Christian, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief. W. R. CHRISTIAN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of June, 1905.

GEO. I. WHITNEY, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

J. T. ARMSTRONG,
J. H. BEAL,
C. B. MCLEAN,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

PENNSYLVANIA NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$ 547,865 08

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

FIDELITY TITLE & TRUST CO.,

of Pittsburgh, No. 341-5 Fourth avenue, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand	$ 101,388 18	
Checks and other cash items	3,880 90	
Due from banks and bankers	1,880,821 58	
		$ 1,993,049 66
Call loans upon collateral	$5,668,808 00	
Time loans upon collateral	1,160,331 56	
Loans upon bonds and mortgages	124,533 18	
		$ 6,978,173 40
Investment securities owned, viz:		
Stocks, bonds, etc.	$4,189,910 29	
Mortgages	1,114,481 12	
		$ 5,254,391 41
Real estate		428,277 58
Miscellaneous assets		108,124 04
		$14,784,616 00

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$2,000,000 00	
*Surplus fund	3,000,000 00	
Undivided profits less expenses and taxes paid	1,850,112 63	
		$ 6,850,112 63
Deposits, subject to check	$5,656,534 06	
Deposits, special	2,111,926 72	
		$ 7,768,460 78
Due to banks and bankers		800,000 00
Dividends unpaid		2,054 00
Treasurer's and certified checks outstanding		144,008 88
		$14,764,618 09
Amount of trust funds invested	$36,138,160 79	
Amount of trust funds uninvested	639,447 97	
		$36,777,600 76

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, C. E. Willock, treasurer of the above named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

C. E. WILLOCK, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

M. B. BATES, Notary Public.

My commission expires January 19, 1907.

Correct—Attest:

JNO. B. JACKSON,
JAS. J. DONNELL,
R. M'GINLEY,
Directors.

*This item includes the necessary reserve for the payment of all losses upon real estate title insurance contracts issued by this company.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

GERMANIA SAVINGS BANK

of Pittsburgh, No. 423 Wood street, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand	$ 42,852 71	
Checks and other cash items	26,808 28	
Due from banks and bankers	668,380 04	
		$ 737,571 63
Loans and discounts		5,038,578 42
Investment securities owned, viz:		
Stocks, bonds, etc.	$ 557,832 50	
Mortgages	1,197,770 00	
		1,755,602 50
Real estate, furniture and fixtures		375,619 76
Overdrafts		59 21
Miscellaneous assets		48 90
Total		$7,907,830 42

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 150,000 00
Surplus fund	150,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	300,555 24
Deposits, subject to check	$ 743,751 17
Deposits, special	6,415,967 08
Time certificates of deposits	111,598 50
Treasurer's checks outstanding	35,958 42
	7,307,275 18
Total	$7,907,830 42

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, A. E. Niemann, Treasurer of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

A. E. NIEMANN, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

H. E. SEIBERT, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

A. E. SUCCOP,
E. H. JENNINGS,
PETER KEIL,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK,

at Sewickley, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$301,540 16
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		280 40
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		12,500 00
Bonds, securities, etc.		237,779 02
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		29,412 72
Due from approved reserve agents		119,870 69
Checks and other cash items		218 42
Bills of other national banks		1,500 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		196 42
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz:		
Specie	$16,982 60	
Legal-tender notes	2,500 00	
		19,482 60
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5% of circulation)		625 00
Total		$723,195 02

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000 00
Surplus fund	50,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	17,955 52
National bank notes outstanding	12,500 00
Individual deposits subject to check	$297,749 85
Demand certificates of deposit	214,334 75
Savings deposits	79,127 49
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,528 31
	592,740 40
Total	$723,195 92

State of Pennsylvania, County of Allegheny, ss:

I, E. P. Coffin, cashier of the above-named bank do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

E. P. COFFIN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2d day of June, 1905.

O. S. RICHARDSON, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

R. J. MURRAY,
R. J. STONEY, JR.,
FRANK SEMPLE,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

FARMERS DEPOSIT SAVINGS BANK OF PITTSBURGH,

Pittsburgh, Pa., Fifth avenue and Wood street, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business, May 29, 1905.

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand	$	14,478 54
Checks and other cash items		291 00
Due from banks and bankers		557,289 51
Loans and discounts		927,687 50
Investment securities owned, viz.:		
Bonds, etc.	$389,400 00	
Mortgages	269,225 00	
		1,138,658 00
Furniture and fixtures		300 00
Miscellaneous assets		4,235 97
Total		$2,642,910 52

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 100,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	22,152 17
Deposits, special	2,520,758 35
Total	$2,642,910 52

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, Edward B. Coll, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EDWARD B. COLL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

H. T. MORRIS, Notary Public.

Notarial Seal.

My Commission Expires January 16, 1909.

Correct—Attest:

THOMAS H. GIVEN,
DANIEL C. NOBLE,
WILLIAM W. BLACKBURN,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

HOMEWOOD PEOPLES BANK,

of Pittsburgh, No. 618 Homewood avenue, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business, May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand	$	16,548 79
Checks and other cash items		1,154 42
Due from banks and bankers		41,108 52
Loans and discounts		245,285 81
Investment securities owned, viz:		
Mortgages		7,247 19
Real estate, furniture and fixtures		24,954 30
Overdrafts		1,382 02
Miscellaneous assets		705 00
Total		$354,484 15

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 50,000 00
Surplus fund	1,250 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	7,477 99
Deposits subject to check	$201,566 85
Deposits, special	90,452 44
Cashiers' checks outstanding	3,736 87
	295,756 16
Total	$354,484 15

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, Herman F. Linnenbrink, cashier, of the above named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HERMAN F. LINNENBRINK, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

C. KAISER, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

J. B. M'CREARY,
JACOB ROCHBERG,
JAMES M. CLARK,
Directors.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

GUARANTEE TITLE & TRUST COMPANY,

of Pittsburg, No. 232 Fourth avenue, of Allegheny County, Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 29, 1905.

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand	$ 28,427 30	
Exchanges for clearing house and other cash items	46,673 14	
Due from banks and bankers	141,529 68	
		$ 216,682 42
Commercial and other paper purchased		1,027,346 56
Call loans on collateral		848,326 83
Time loans on collateral		108,070 52
Loans upon bonds and mortgages		19,350 25
Investment securities owned, viz:		
Stocks, bonds, etc.	$289,449 83	
Mortgages	242,075 00	
		1,231,524 83
Real estate, furniture and fixtures		363,290 57
Overdrafts		98 00
Miscellaneous assets		212,570 49
		$3,727,988 28

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$1,000,000 00
Surplus fund	787,500 00
Undivided profits, less expenses paid	80,975 25
Deposits	$1,414,681 34
Due to the commonwealth	195,000 00
Due to banks and bankers	224,582 28
	1,834,263 62
Dividends unpaid	7 50
Treasurer's checks outstanding	1,680 00
Fund reserved for taxes and interest	22,361 22
	$3,727,988 28
Amount of trust funds invested	$ 489,368 59
Amount of trust funds uninvested	21,737 27

State of Pennsylvania, County of Allegheny, ss:

I, Frank L. Phillips, treasurer of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signed) FRANK L. PHILLIPS, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 1st day of June, 1905.

(Signed) WALTER MORRIS, Notary Public.

My commission expires January 15, 1909.

Correct—Attest—

(Signed) W. C. TEMPLE,
C. F. HOLDSHIP,
J. EMERSON ASH,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

WESTERN SAVINGS AND DEPOSIT BANK

of Pittsburgh, Pa., of No. 531 Smithfield street, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand	$ 7,537 99	
Checks and other cash items	1,085 90	
Due from banks and bankers	91,772 08	
		$ 100,395 97
Loans and discounts		1,339,164 08
Investment securities owned, viz.:		
Stocks, bonds, etc.	$77,620	
Mortgages	28,800	
		106,420 00
Furniture and fixtures		2,125 00
Overdrafts		88 79
Total		$1,548,144 74

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 250,000 00
Surplus fund	250,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	27,118 49
Deposits subject to check	$432,786 74
Deposits, special	518,255 51
Time certificates of deposits	35,005 00
Cashier's checks outstanding	10,000 00
Due to the commonwealth	25,000 00
	1,021,026 25
Total	$1,548,144 74

State of Pennsylvania, County of Allegheny, ss:

I, Charles E. Schuetz, cashier of the above named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CHARLES E. SCHUETZ, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

JOHN M. PRESCOTT, JR., Notary Public.

My commission expires January 15, 1905.

Correct—Attest:

E. H. SWINDELL,
PETER HEPPES,
FRED FICHTEL,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

ALLEGHENY TRUST CO.,

of Allegheny, No. 413 Federal st., of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 29, 1905.

RESOURCES

Cash on hand	$	61,827 70
Checks and other cash items		16,471 52
Due from banks and bankers		248,308 03
Commercial and other paper purchased		650,421 16
Call loans upon collateral		937,245 15
Time loans upon collateral		94,417 48
Investment securities owned, viz.:		
Stocks, bonds, etc.	$414,019 98	
Mortgages	866,476 98	
		4,280,496 94
Real estate, furniture and fixtures		72,241 71
Overdrafts		729 11
		$3,381,558 60

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in	$ 700,000 00
Surplus fund	150,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	34,033 42
Deposits, subject to check	$1,058,648 31
Deposits, special	1,410,953 48
	2,469,601 79
Dividends unpaid	88 50
Treasurer's and certified checks outstanding	8,429 89
	$3,381,558 60
Amount of trust funds invested	$ 27,177 34
Amount of trust funds uninvested	2,850 15

State of Pennsylvania, County of Allegheny, ss:

I, Chas. Schneider, treasurer of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signed) CHAS. SCHNEIDER, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

(Signed) EDW. A. HESS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest—

(Signed) SAM'L M'KNIGHT,
FRANK CRUIKSHANK,
FRED. GWINNER, JR.,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

UNION SAVINGS BANK

of Pittsburgh, Fifth avenue and Grant street, of Allegheny county, Pa., at the close of business May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand	$	95,164 53
Checks and other cash items		1,103 72
Due from banks and bankers		974,585 75
Loans and discounts		2,251,498 06
Investment securities owned, viz.:		
Stocks, bonds, etc.	$2,258,000 00	
Mortgages	99,000 00	
		2,357,000 00
Real estate, furniture and fixtures		10,482 31
Overdrafts		23 80
Miscellaneous assets		80,324 26
Total		$5,720,285 32

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$1,000,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	182,774 21
Deposits, subject to check	$ 990,585 20
Deposits, special	3,383,975 21
Time certificates of deposit	160,279 65
Certified checks	413 29
Cashier's checks outstanding	2,221 76
	4,537,481 11
Total	$5,720,255 32

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, E. V. Hays, cashier of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

E. V. HAYS, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

I. M. FICKEISON, Notary Public.

Correct Attest:

WILLIAM B. SCHILLER,
WILLIAM G. PARK,
GEORGE E. SHAW,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

PITTSBURGH BANK FOR SAVINGS,

Of Pittsburgh, Pa., at close of business May 29, 1905:

ASSETS.

Cash on hand and in banks		$ 3,069,832 22
Demand loans on collateral	$5,469,536 48	
Time loans on collateral etc.	2,151,588 58	
		7,569,592 06
Investments, bonds, mortgages, real estate, etc.		4,230,025 90
Total		$14,869,450 18

LIABILITIES.

Capital, surplus and undivided profits	501,849 73
Current deposits	$ 968,480 57
Time deposits	13,392,119 88
	14,358,600 45
Total	$14,869,450 18

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, William J. Jones, treasurer of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

WILLIAM J. JONES, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of June, 1905.

ROBT. P. WATT, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

JAMES S. KUHN,
WILSON A. SHAW,
L. M. PLUMER,
Directors.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

SAFE DEPOSIT AND TRUST

Company of Pittsburgh, Fourth avenue and Wood street, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand	$	541 09
Checks and other cash items		11,051 02
Due from banks and bankers		72,240 31
Investment securities owned, viz:		
Stocks, bonds, etc.	$7,968,311 45	
Mortgages	2,127,420 78	
		10,095,732 23
Real estate, furniture and fixtures		422,586 08
Miscellaneous assets		67,727 44
Total		$10,695,679 02

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 8,000,000 00
Surplus fund	1,500,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	139,041 02
Dividends unpaid	558 00
Treasurer's checks outstanding	50 00
Miscellaneous liabilities	57,000 00
Total	$10,696,679 02
Amount of trust funds invested	$18,253,279 56
Amount of trust funds uninvested	404,891 88

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, Edward E. Duff, treasurer of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EDWARD E. DUFF, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

D. B. OAKS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

ROBERT WARDROP,
GEORGE W. CRAWFORD,
JAMES K. DUFF,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

PEOPLES SAVINGS BANK

of Pittsburgh, Fourth avenue and Wood street, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand	$	11,438 87
Checks and other cash items		819 32
Due from banks and bankers		836,675 19
Collateral loans		4,570,128 39
Investment securities owned, viz:		
Stocks, bonds, etc.	$3,574,763 18	
Mortgages	3,594,647 07	
		7,169,411 45
Real estate		9,110 45
Overdrafts		11 12
Miscellaneous assets		123,312 34
Total		$12,719,904 82

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 1,000,000 00
Surplus fund	1,000,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	245,495 27
Deposits subject to check	$1,007,446 89
Deposits, special	8,984,536 18
Time certificates of deposits	264,657 80
Certified checks	2 25
Treasurer's checks outstanding	86,953 66
	10,413,596 78
Reserve for state tax	1,500 00
Accrued interest on time deposits	59,312 78
Total	$12,719,904 82

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, James K. Duff, Treasurer of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JAMES K. DUFF, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this first day of June, 1905.

D. B. OAKS, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

D. McK. LLOYD,
EDWARD E. DUFF,
HENRY CHALFANT,
Trustees.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

PEOPLES NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Bonds, securities, etc.		$2,442,200 67
Loans and discounts		7,008,551 13
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		2,141 55
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		1,000,000 00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits		200,000 00
Banking house, furniture and fixtures		278,227 92
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)	$ 894,790 00	
Due from state banks and bankers	24,914 29	
Due from approved reserve agents	1,297,821 64	
		1,697,235 02
Checks and other cash items	$ 61,234 19	
Exchanges for clearing house	454,001 00	
Notes of other national banks	40,000 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	1,770 81	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	895,194 00	
Legal-tender notes	295,000 00	
		1,747,199 80
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		80,000 00
Total		$14,726,945 80

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 1,000,000 00
Surplus fund	1,000,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	546,492 55
National bank notes outstanding	1,000,000 00
Due to other national banks	$1,755,153 80
Due to state banks and bankers	525,050 27
Due to trust companies and savings banks	8,024,351 77
Dividends unpaid	377 50
Individual deposits, subject to check	4,717,784 87
Demand certificates of deposit	82,820 00
Certified checks	10,277 48
Cashier's checks outstanding	20,007 47
U. S. deposits	200,000 00
U. S. bond account	900,000 00
	11,185,253 25
Total	$14,725,945 80

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, Harvey Schumacher, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HERVEY SCHUMACHER, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 1st day of June, 1905.

ROBT. C. MOORE, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

J. PAINTER, JR.,
J. D. LYON,
D. LEET WILSON,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

MELLON NATIONAL BANK,

at Pittsburgh, in the state of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, May 29th, 1905.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts		$10,631,989 71
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured		9,860 20
U. S. bonds to secure circulation		1,600,000 00
U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits		450,000 00
Premiums on U. S. bonds		104,551 70
Bonds, securities, etc.		1,473,022 57
Real estate owned		4,000 00
Due from national banks (not reserve agents)		705,094 95
Due from state banks and bankers		1,410,203 49
Due from approved reserve agents		3,270,918 65
Checks and other cash items		10,544 51
Exchanges for clearing house		172,499 78
Notes of other National banks		56,600 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents		1,190 00
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz.:		
Specie	$1,700,000 00	
Legal-tender notes	500,000 00	
		2,200,000 00
Redemption fund with U. S. treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		80,000 00
Due from U. S. treasurer, other than 5 per cent redemption fund		87,000 00
Total		$31,886,575 36

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 4,000,000 00
Surplus fund	1,000,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	15,050 61
National bank notes outstanding	1,000,000 00
Due to other National banks	5,513,203 07
Due to state banks and bankers	1,135,910 31
Due to trust companies and savings banks	2,040,116 67
Due to approved reserve agents	432,131 42
Individual deposits subject to check	13,796,009 70
Time certificates of deposit	852,160 42
Certified checks	40,318 30
Cashier's checks outstanding	55,884 71
United States deposits	200,615 44
Deposits of U. S. disbursing officers	174,384 56
Bonds borrowed	200,000 00
Reserve for taxes, etc.	81,863 04
Unearned discount	144,183 02
Total	$31,886,575 36

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, W. S. Mitchell, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. S. MITCHELL, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

WALDP J. HICKE, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

H. C. M'ELDOWNEY,
B. F. JONES, JR.,
R. B. MELLON,
Directors.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

WEST END SAVINGS BANK & TRUST CO.,

Of Pittsburgh, Pa., corner South Main and Wabash streets, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 29, 1905.

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand	$	10,001 38
Checks and other cash items		809 31
Due from banks and bankers		85,100 21
Commercial and other paper purchased		271,398 42
Call loans upon collateral		202,217 18
Time loans upon collateral		137,700 00
Loans upon bonds and mortgages		28,768 08
Investment securities owned, viz:		
Stocks, bonds, etc.	$189,933 00	
Mortgages	487,889 99	
		897,504 99
Real estate, furniture and fixtures		48,263 22
Overdrafts		111 77
		$1,382,800 50

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 125,000 00
Surplus fund	200,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	89,970 82
Deposits, subject to check	$286,527 29
Deposits, special	710,480 55
	997,007 84
Treasurer's and certified checks outstanding	20,821 93
	$1,382,800 59

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, H. S. Hershberger, treasurer of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

H. S. HERSHBERGER, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

W. H. HESELBARTH, Notary Public.

(My commission expires January 19, 1907.)

Correct—Attest:

R. S. HENNIP,
ALBERT GRAHAM,
WILLIAM KOSSLER,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

MANUFACTURERS BANK OF PITTSBURGH,

No. 1739 Carson street, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand	$ 17,276 10	
Checks and other cash items	65 50	
Due from banks and bankers	112,187 93	
		$ 129,479 53
Loans and discounts	$ 598,739 66	
Investment securities owned, viz:		
Stocks, bonds, etc.	34,406 80	
Mortgages	28,150 00	
		696,347 36
Real estate, furniture and fixtures		33,000 00
Overdrafts		121 45
		$ 808,948 07

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 100,000 00
Surplus fund	120,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	3,637 87
	152,637 87
Deposits, subject to check	$ 551,141 10
Demand certificates of deposits	2,250 00
Certified checks	1,000 00
Cashier's checks outstanding	1,920 00
	556,311 10
	$ 808,948 97

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, Daniel P. Berg, cashier of the above named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

D. P. BERG, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

WM. HENNING, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

EDWARD HOGAN,
D. Z. BRICKELL,
P. M. PFEIL,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

GERMAN SAVINGS AND DEPOSIT BANK,

of Pittsburg, Pa., No. 1401 Carson street, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business June 1905:

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand	$ 91,122 77	
Checks and other cash items	2,764 24	
Due from banks and bankers	534,778 63	
		628,670 64
Loans and discounts	$2,024,991 72	
Investment securities owned, viz.:		
Stocks, bonds, etc.	$ 857,027 74	
Mortgages	700,154 84	
		3,282,184 00
Real estate, furniture and fixtures		105,852 75
Overdrafts		117 54
Total		$4,016,824 73

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 100,000 00
Surplus fund	200,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	24,783 62
Deposits, subject to check	$ 874,196 86
Deposits, special	2,792,459 55
Certified checks	40 24
	3,666,696 74
Cashier's checks outstanding	2,692 49
Due to banks and bankers	22,449 88
Dividends unpaid	120 00
Total	$4,016,824 73

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, J. F. Erny, cashier of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. F. ERNY, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

G. J. BLECHNER, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

J. E. ROTH,
WM. L. MONRO,
FERDINAND BENZ,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

MT. WASHINGTON SAVINGS & TRUST CO.

of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, No. 58 Shiloh street, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand	$	8,126 02
Checks and other cash items		246 49
Due from banks and bankers		64,952 53
Commercial and other paper owned		48,178 40
Call loans upon collateral		28,850 00
Time loans upon collateral		10,344 00
Loans upon bonds and mortgages		73,250 00
Investment securities owned, viz:		
Stocks, bonds, etc.	$4,262 20	
		4,262 20
Real estate, furniture and fixtures		18,106 47
Overdrafts		132 73
Miscellaneous assets		578 14
Total		$281,828 87

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$125,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	5,443 97
Deposits subject to check	52,455 45
Deposits, special	74,927 35
Total	$261,828 87

State of Pennsylvania, county of Allegheny, ss:

I, W. W. Hill, treasurer of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. W. HILL, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

R. J. MACRORY, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

DANIEL HILF,
A. L. RICHMOND, JR.,
JAS. B. LASH,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

LAND TRUST CO.,

of Pittsburg, Allegheny county, Pa., at the close of business May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand	$	7,971 41
Checks and other cash items		75 13
Due from banks and bankers		92,074 56
Commercial and other paper purchased		257,693 12
Call loans upon collateral		50,350 00
Time loans upon collateral		10,708 27
Loans upon bonds and mortgages		99,675 06
Investment securities owned viz.:		
Mortgages	$125,180 00	
		125,180 00
Real estate, furniture and fixtures		182,550 07
Miscellaneous assets		165,599 58
		$994,973 20

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$481,800 46
*Surplus fund	96,320 54
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	2,677 96
Deposits, subject to check	$197,732 81
Deposits, special	74,118 40
	411,851 21
Treasurer's and certified checks outstanding	2,324 12
	$994,973 20

State of Pennsylvania, County of Westmoreland, ss:

I, John Sylvan Brown, assistant treasurer of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JOHN SYLVAN BROWN, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of June, 1905.

M. D. ULLERY, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

W. J. GRIFFITH,
W. W. GIFFEN,
JOHN N. DUNN,
Directors.

*This item includes the necessary reserve for the payment of all losses upon real estate title insurance contracts issued by this company.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

COLONIAL TRUST CO.

of Pittsburgh, No. 317 Fourth avenue, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand	$	357,915 03
Checks and other cash items		7,112 50
Due from banks and bankers		2,413,422 26
Commercial and other paper purchased		2,051,439 19
Call loans upon collateral		5,637,886 55
Time loans upon collateral		1,192,804 78
Loans upon bonds and mortgages		74,561 01
Investment securities owned, viz:		
Stocks, bonds, etc.	$7,345,474 83	
Mortgages	371,621 78	
		7,717,096 61
Real estate, furniture and fixtures		170,800 47
Overdrafts		3,366 69
Miscellaneous assets		103,416 06
Total		$20,832,287 98

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	$ 4,000,000 00
Surplus fund	5,737,117 32
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	408,500 49
Deposits, subject to check	$3,904,702 97
Deposits, special	4,342,264 66
	8,246,967 63
Due to banks and bankers	2,067,404 34
Dividends unpaid	2,172 00
Treasurer's and certified checks outstanding	318,036 24
Total	$20,832,287 98
Amount of trust funds invested	$2,509,662 32
Amount of trust funds uninvested	116,117 26

State of Pennsylvania, County of Allegheny, ss:

I, Homer C. Stewart, treasurer of the above-named company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HOMER C. STEWART, Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2d day of June, 1905.

GEO. D. TINDLE, Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:

JAS. C. CHAPLIN,
JOSHUA RHODES,
WM. FLINN,
Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE

MORTGAGE BANKING CO.

of Pittsburgh, No. 423 Fourth avenue, of Allegheny county, Pennsylvania, at the close of business, May 29, 1905:

RESOURCES.

Cash on hand	$	7,864 76
Checks and other cash items		724 58
Due from banks and bankers		37,

CONFLICTING INFLUENCES SWAY THE STOCK MARKET

Favorable Developments Are Not Sufficiently Clear to Offset Harvest Doubts and the Disturbing Conditions in the Equitable.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

NEW YORK, June 4.—Speculative Wall street was swayed by conflicting influences during the week which found their natural reflection in a highly irregular price movement. Important as were some of the developments favorable to the constructive side of the market, these did not appear to be clearly enough defined or sufficiently near of their full realization to offset the elements of doubt and uncertainty normal to the time of undetermined harvests and at present accentuated by so disturbing a factor as the Equitable Life Assurance Society controversy and scandal.

The Japanese triumph made for peace was the interpretation placed upon the battle by the financial markets of the world, and those who comprehend the accuracy with which markets reflect the opinions of chancelleries with secrets to whisper and bankers in touch with these confidences, know full well how accurately the markets gauge these affairs. But by the same token is reflected also other matters. The hesitancy of foreign markets after the first flush of enthusiasm over peace prospects may in consequence reflect a modified image of peace, which might be allegorically depicted as peace restrained by pride, shackled by ignorance, or affrighted by the shade of anarchy.

With the most material development of the week tempered, as was the prospect of peace between Japan and Russia, by the belief that the eventful settlement might be deferred, it was natural that the security market should lapse again into dullness, and that both speculators and investors should give themselves over to a consideration of other problems. Chief of these, so far as the fundamental situation is concerned, is the harvest prospects, but this, and, for that matter, practically every other important question, such as the hesitation noted in the iron and steel industry, the growing treasury deficit, the prospect of tariff agitation, growing socialistic tendencies in the country and the apparent determination of the administration to carry out, or attempt to carry out, the plan of federal control of railway rates, was subordinated to the developments in the Equitable Life Assurance Society.

Of the general crop and trade conditions it can be said that while they are not in the best shape, they are not discouraging. The situation in this respect is not abnormal for the season of the year, but it has been accentuated somewhat in the present instance by the unseasonably cold weather, which has acted both as a deterrent upon business activity and crop germination. That business, though reported slower, is far from being in a depressed condition is quite conclusively shown by the volume of bank clearances and by the railway traffic returns, both of which are well maintained. No one familiar with Wall street can doubt the influence of the recent disclosures made in the report of the Frick committee on public sentiment. A vague uneasiness spread over the financial district with the first intimation of what the report contained, which is not much a matter for surprise, since the report, with its shocking disclosures as to an organized system of "graft" in a great institution, occupying a peculiarly delicate position toward the community, has been made public.

One point is surely made clear by the report of the Frick committee, and that is that conspicuous leaders in the beneficial work of life insurance have strayed far away from the grand field of operation which is peculiarly their own. The quicker the business of life insurance gets back into its old lines of providing solely for the security of the assured, cuts off the auxiliary companies, banks, trust companies, trolley roads and the like, ceases to swell the deposit funds of its sub-companies, in an effort to enhance the value of their shares and thus inflate assets, the better it will be for the whole community.

REVIEW OF THE WEEK IN THE LOCAL MARKETS

Sugar Drops Ten Points, While Flour Is Firm at High Figures.

Conditions in the local markets last week were somewhat uncertain. Flour advanced to a high figure and gives every promise of remaining there for some time, or even of going higher. Sugar was apparently as firm as flour all last week and yet sugar made a most unexpected drop of 10 points all along the line. This makes a 35-point drop in sugar within a few weeks, and brings it to the lowest point it has been for many months.

The flour situation is most unsatisfactory. Buyers do not want to buy at the present price. The apparent manipulation in May wheat has been a most disturbing factor. Northwestern mills have not sold the product they manufactured last week. Export business is practically nothing. The wheat crop is still in a most promising condition. It is a long time yet until harvest, which usually begins in this section about July 10 and runs through August in other sections. Much may happen in the weeks which will intervene between now and threshing time, but the prospects at present are for the largest wheat crop in the history of the country. In the face of this it is difficult to see how the manipulators will be able to keep up July wheat and thus force flour to remain at anything near its present figure.

Strawberries made a sharp advance Saturday due, primarily, to the small quantity of good fruit which came in. Delaware crates advanced from $2.25 and $3.25 to $3.00 and $4.00. Maryland and Virginias moved up to 7@12c a quart.

Spring chickens are bringing fancy prices, 40 cents a pound being asked for them by the coop. Dressed springers are bringing 45 cents a pound. At these prices it is only the people of means who are enjoying spring chickens. The prices are expected to drop rapidly in the next couple of weeks.

HAY AND GRAIN.

Receipts.

Receipts of hay and grain Saturday were: Pennsylvania lines, 20 cars hay, 8 cars corn, 17 cars oats, 3 cars straw, 2 cars feed. Pittsburgh & Lake Erie, 12 cars hay, 1 car oats, 1 car feed. Baltimore & Ohio, 6 cars hay, 1 car oats, 1 car corn.

The conditions in the hay and grain market last week were generally satisfactory. The first part of the week there was a sharp decline in hay, due chiefly to heavy receipts. The latter part of the week receipts fell off until they were insufficient to meet the demand. This gave a chance to work off the surplus stock and the price advanced a little Friday. Corn has dropped a little, but is still high priced and in good demand. Oats are not so firm and millfeed, while it has advanced in price, is not in great demand. Straw is in good demand and light supply, which has helped to strengthen prices in that article.

No. 1 timothy $12.50@12.75	White middlings, No. 1, ton $19.00@19.50
No. 2 timothy $11.00@11.50	No. 2 middlings $18.00@18.50
No. 1 clover $10.25@10.75	do brown $16.75@17.25
No. 1 mix. $10.50@11.00	Bran, ton $17.75@18.00
Loose from wagon $14.00@16.00	Wheat, No. 2 red, at mill 80@80c
Straw, oat $7.25@7.50	Corn, Yellow shelled 57@57½c
do wheat $7.25@7.50	High mixed 56@56½c
do rye $12.00@12.50	Yellow ear 62@63c
No. 2 white oats 35½@35½c	
No. 3 oats 35@35½c	
No. 4 oats 34½@34½c	

PROVISIONS

Hams.	Breakfast bacon,
18 lbs and up 11¼c	back strips 10½c
Over 14 to 18 lbs 11¼c	Dry salt sides, extra
Over 10 to 14 lbs 11¼c	short clear 8c
10 lbs and under 11¼c	Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs 8¼c
Skinned 12¼c	do 14 to 20 lbs 8½c
Boneless boiled 13c	do under 14 lbs 8½c
California 8c	Dry salt smoked sides, extra short clear 8c
Shoulders, N. Y., cut 8½c	Bellies, 20 to 25 lbs 9c
do skinned 9c	do 14 to 20 lbs 9½c
Ribs, 8 to 10 lbs 11c	do under 14 lbs 9½c
do 10 to 12 lbs 10½c	Lard, pure, tierces 7½c
do back strips 10c	
do clears, 8 to 10 lbs 11½c	
do 10 to 12 lbs 10½c	

JOBBERS' YARD PRICES.

Potatoes, Mich., bushel 28@30c	do bbl $1.50@1.75
carlots 25@27c	Celery, Fla. $2.50@2.75
do Ohio, carlots 28@32c	New cabbage, crates $1.50@2.00
do bu. 32@36c	Texas onions $1.00@1.25
Apples, fancy, bbl. $2.00@3.00	

GROCERIES.

Flour.	do cov'd xxxx 6.10c
Fancy spg. patent, quarters, in paper $4.25@4.50	do cut loaf 6.20c
Fancy winter patents $5.70@5.80	do cubes 6.15c
Rye $4.00@4.10	do coffee A 5.90c
Graham, 10-lb bags $2.30@2.50	do No. 1 yellow 5.75c
Cornmeal, bbls. $3.00@3.25	do No. 2 yellow 5.50c
Rolled oats, bbl. $4.20	Beans.
do keg $2.40	Navy, choice, P. P. $1.90@2.00
Roasted Coffee.	Red kidney $2.00@2.10
Rio 12½@15c	Cal. lima, lb 6¼@6½c
Santos 20@24c	Peas, dried, bu. $1.10@1.15
Maracaibo 15½@16c	do split, lb 5½c
Peaberry 18@18½c	do marrowfat, bu. $2.00@2.10
Golden Rio 17c	Oil, carbon, 110 deg. 10½c
Caracas 20@20½c	do headlight 11¼c
Standard, pkgs. 13.05c	do water white 11¼c
High grade 18@18c	do Ohio W. W. 11½c
Molasses, fancy refined 35@36c	do Elaine 13c
do choice 31@34c	Miners' oil, special brands 26@43c
do open kett. 37@39c	Rice, ex-fancy head, lb. 6@6½c
do 2-lb 33c	do fancy Japan 2¼@4½c
do 3-lb $1.50@1.65	do choice Caro- lina 4@4½c
Fancy syrup 25@30c	Salt, No. 1 bbl. $1.10
Maple sugar, gal. $1.00	do No. 2 extra $1.20
Sug. and cane 24@25c	do gran. rock 80c
Prime 24@25c	do pocket $1.05@1.85
2-lb cans, doz. 75c	do dairy 90c
2½-lb cans, doz. 90c	Lentils, fancy, lb 4½@5½c
5-lb cans, doz. $1.80	Sauerkraut, 40-gal. cask $4.25
10-lb cans, doz. $3.40	do 10-gal. keg $1.05

SOUTHERN GREEN STUFF.

Carrots, doz. 60@75c	do Maryland & Va., fancy, qt. 9@12c
Lettuce, hd. $1.00@1.25	do choice, qt. 7@8c
do bbl. hd $2.00@2.50	New beets, doz. 40@50c
Leeks, doz. 40@50c	Green peppers, do carlots $2.25@2.50
Florida tomatoes, fancy $2.50@2.75	Parsley, doz. 40@50c
do choice $2.00@2.25	Kahlrabis 40@50c
Radishes, long red, doz. 20@25c	Spring onions 20@25c
do white, doz. 30@35c	Green beans, bu. $1.50@1.75
Cucumbers, hothouse $1.25@1.50	Wax beans, bu. $1.75@2.00
do South- ern, crate $2.00@4.00	Mint, doz. 50@75c
do basket $1.25@1.50	Celery, Florida, crates $2.75@3.00
Green corn, doz. 40@50c	do N. O., doz. 25@35c
Strawberries, Delaware, crate $3.00@4.00	Watermelons 30@40c
	Canteloupes, crate $5.00@8.00
	Blackberries, qt. 15@18c

PRODUCE.

Potatoes, bu. store 35@40c	Asparagus, do home raised, doz. 60@75c
do Fla. Rose, bbl. $2.75@3.25	do Ohio 50@60c
do bu. $1.10@1.25	Rhubarb 12½@15c
Onions, Bermudas $1.25@1.50	Popcorn, lb 4@5c
do Texas, crates, $1.25@1.50	Eggplant, Florida, crates $3.00@3.50
do Texas silver-skins $1.65@1.75	Mushrooms, per lb 50@60c
do Egyptians, sacks $2.75@3.00	Garlic, lb 5@10c
do Southern, sacks $1.40@1.50	Watercress, doz. 20@40c
Cabbage, new, crate $1.50@1.75	Lettuce, baskets 25@30c
Spinach, bu. hamper 40@50c	field, doz. 25@35c
Honey, new 14@15c	Onion sets, bu. yellow
do extra fancy 16c	Southern $1.50@1.75
Bulbs, Caladiums, doz. 50c@$1.00	do silver skin $1.50@1.75
do Tuberoses, doz. 10@25c	Kale, basket 90c@$1.00
	Green peas, bu. $1.00@1.50
	Cauliflower, doz. $1.00@1.25

FRUITS.

Lemons, Messinas $2.75@3.00	do Md., qt. 8@12c
do Cal. $2.25@2.50	do Ky., drawers $2.00@3.50
Oranges, Florida, Indian River $3.50@4.00	Pineapples, Red Span. $3.25@3.50
Navel $3.00@4.00	do Fla. $3.50@4.00
Cocoanuts, bags $3.25@3.50	Grape fruit $4.50@5.00
do doz. 40@50c	Apples, fancy Baldwin $3.50@4.00
Figs, cartons 7½@8c	do Willows, fancy $3.00@3.50
do layers 8@12c	do other varieties, Choice $1.50@2.00
do washed, stuffed, doz. $2.25	Common $1.25@1.50
Bananas 1st $1.50@2.00	Limes, per 100 75c@$1.00
do 2nds $1.00@1.25	Dates, stuffed 18c
Apricots, crate $3.00	Peaches, 6 bk. carriers, Georgia $2.50@3.00
Cherries, box $3.00@3.50	

BUTTER, EGGS AND CHEESE.

Butter.	do block 14½@15c
Prints 24@24½c	do imported 27@27½c
Tubs 23½@24c	do Limburger, new 12½@13c
Ohio cream 21@22c	5-lb brick, new 14@14½c
Dairy 17@18c	Eggs, selected candled 17@17½c
Cooking 11½@12c	do southern 16½@17c
Cheese, N. Y., full cream, new 10@10½c	Gathering Point Prices:
do Ohio cream 10@10½c	Dairy butter, lb. 11½@12½c
do ¼ cream, new 9@9½c	Eggs, doz. 14c
do Wis. Swiss, tubs 15@15½c	

CANNED GOODS.

Peaches, sta. pie $1.00	Gooseberries $5.00@
do pie gal. $3.50@3.60	Tomatoes,
do California, L. $2.00@2.25	fancy $1.10@1.20
do California, Y. P. $1.90@2.25	do standard 1.00@
Corn, fancy $1.10@1.20	do seconds 82.5@
do stand. 80@90c	Succotash, 1-lb cans $1.10@1.20
Cherries, Cal., white $2.00@2.25	Baked beans, cans, tomato sc 75@80c
Lima beans $1.25@1.45	Salmon, 4de 90c@$2.00
do cooked 75@85c	do red, 1-lb flats $1.60@1.90
String beans, 2-lb 85c	do pink, 1-lb flats $1.80@2.10
do 3-lb 95c	Chipped beef $2.20@2.75
Stringless beans $1.25@1.75	Corn and roast beef, 2-lb cans $2.30@2.40
Peas, marrowfat 80@85c	do 1-lb cans $1.25@1.50
do early June 75@85c	Mackerel, Boston, 1-lb cans $1.25@1.50
do sealed 85@90c	Sardines, domestic, ½s $2.60
Pimps, Cali- fornia $1.40@1.65	do mustards, ½s $2.60
Apples, N. Y., gal. cans $2.20@2.25	do French $6.50@18.50
Pineapples $1.25@2.50	
Raspberries 85@90c	

POULTRY AND GAME.

Live chickens 14@15c	Squab, doz. $3.75@4.00
do springers 25@40c	do No. 2 $2.00@2.25
do roosters 10@12c	Ducks, ruddy $1.25
do turkeys 16@17c	do red head $1.75@3.00
do geese 10@12c	do canvas-back $2.75@3.00
do ducks 14@15c	Impt. golden Plover, doz. $3.50
do pigeons, doz. $1.00@1.75	do black plover $4.50
Dressed hens 16@17c	English pheasants, per pair $2.25
do springers 40@45c	Rabbits, per pair 75c
do roosters 11@12c	Squirrels, per pair $1.25
do turkeys 22@23c	Broilers 18@18c
Do Long Island ducklings 20c	Snippers, per lb 75c
do ducks 18@18c	Pigeons, pair 30@35c
do capon, lb. 26@27c	

SALT FISH.

Mackerel, No. 1 mess, bbl. $26.00	Mackerel, No. 2 large, bbl. $14.50
do half bbl. $11.50	do half bbl. $8.00
do quar. bbl. $5.00	do quar. bbls $4.25
Mackerel, No. 1 plain, bbl. $22.00	do 20-lb pails $1.90
do half bbls $12.50	do 10-lb pails $1.00
do quar. bbls. $8.25	do No. 2 Irish, 50-lb tubs $5.00
do 20-lb pails $2.40	Lake herring, 100 lbs. $3.00
do 10-lb pails $1.75	do 20-lb. $1.45
	do 10-lb. 75c

SEEDS.

Clover, from store, recleaned 60-lb bu small $8.00@8.10	Millet, Western $1.55@1.60
do mammoth $8.10@8.20	Southern $1.55@1.60
do crimson $8.50@9.00	Grass, Hungarian 90@$1.00
do white, Dutch $9.75@11.50	do lawn, lb. 10@15c
Alsike $8.00@8.10	do blue, 15-lb bu. $1.25@1.50
Alfalfa $8.00@8.25	do red top, 14-lb bu. $1.10@1.60
	Timothy $1.45@1.50

In the Oil fields

Oil operators interested in the territory surrounding and adjacent to the Southern Oil Company's gusher on the Waldron farm, west of Butler, are now anxiously awaiting further developments. The first well to get the sand since the gusher was drilled in reached that interesting point Saturday morning. It was confidently expected to encounter a producer. It could hardly have been anything but a producer of some kind, for it is less than 600 feet from the big well. When the pay was tapped the new well began to flow at the rate of 14 barrels an hour. This is light as compared with the Mellon well, which was credited with expecting 60 barrels an hour when the pay was tapped. The new well is owned by the Y. W. Phillips Oil and Gas Company and is about 400 feet southwest of the big well on the Barrickman 10-acre lease. It shows an extension of that short distance to the southwest, and that it did not show as much strength when first drilled in is no great surprise, for the reason that the gusher, having penetrated unexpectedly a large oil-producing territory, must have drained a considerable area of the adjacent producing formation. It would have been a remarkable freak if the wells drilling so close had failed to find production in some quantities.

The wells of most importance now drilling are those some distance from the gusher. When drilled in they will determine whether or not the Southern Oil Company's tract is a good one or not. If the latter should be shown, those who took chances on leases away from the gusher will have been in luck. The next well due is the Southern Oil Company's test on the O. E. Waldron farm, about 400 feet northeast of the gusher. This, like the test on the Barrickman 10 acre, should be a producer. It is scheduled to get the sand this morning. The Waldron will have been brought in about the same time as the Phillips test, but the latter did not stop to case in the 100-foot. One of the most important tests now drilling and will be due in a week or 10 days is the Southern Oil Company's test on the Duncan Leirs' farm, half a mile to the northeast of the Waldron and Barrickman farms. About the same time several tests drilling to the east and west, playing it for a cross fetn, will be due to get the sand. For the next month or longer the Butler development will have the center of the stage. Should the wells drilling and starting to advance the development seems to promise to be prolonged. The interest in the pool will be prolonged. The company most heavily interested in the future outcome of developments is the Southern Oil Company, the producing branch of the Pittsburgh Oil and Gas Company. This company's investment in the Butler gushers, the leases that went with them and other leases secured of a recent aggregate comes to $700,000.

While interest in the Butler county development is increasing nothing of the kind can be said of the lower southwest development. Throughout the entire district in West Virginia there is not a single locality that is now attracting any attention worth mentioning. In a few districts there is a slight increase in development work, but the workers are not looking for expecting anything better than small wells. The deep-sand districts have in the past week been fruitful of a few fair producers, but the majority came in light and in some instances total failures. In the Pullen Timber Run district, Wetzel county, Trees & Frost got a fair producer on the J. T. Morris farm, and the Thurber & Edwards No. 1 on the Jacob West or Washington development got one on the N. S. Snyder farm. In the Littleton district the test wells completed on the Carney and Bradley farms are so very light that they scarcely miss the drifter agitation. The deep sand district at Fairview, Marion county, and the 30-foot development west of Manningston, in the same county, continue no better record. Light wells and dusters are the rule. West of Washington development work has declined and the expected excitement is not coming up to expectations. The Salem and Wallace districts, Harrison county, are not holding out any encouragement for active development work. However, this county probably has more work of an experimental kind under way and starting than any other of them that get their productions in the Gordon formation.

On the eastern edge of Tyler county nearly all of the late tests have come in dusters. Considerable test work has been completed in McElroy and Ellsworth districts and it was hoped that a new Keener or Big Injun pool might follow in the vicinity of Middlebourne operations are almost at a standstill. In the Wick district, in the same county, there is still a creditable amount of work under way, but no test work startling. Some of the 1-4 wells in that pool are still coming up very creditably. Ritchie, Pleasants and Wood counties have had nothing new to offer. In the last named there are fewer wells drilling at this time than for a number of years. Down in Calhoun county, the Yellow Creek district is completing some new wells, and considerable interest is found since the announcement of 200 barrels from a well in which Big Six of Arnoldsburg, the present limits of the field have been abandoned and the most of the work is now inside of the defined area. On the north bank of the Little Kanawha river several wells are starting, drillers hoping to find production in the Clay Run sand. The favorable showing found in the two tests drilled by the Mellon-Guffey farms is promising for the new pool.

On the Ohio side the week was uneventful, except for the duster encountered on the J. B. Rose farm, half a mile west of the producers on the Black farm on Wells creek, Jefferson county. The duster was drilled by LaCoste & Co., and with a view to finding a western extension to the wells on the Black farm. The well got coming fair on the 30-foot, and when that the producing sand was 300 feet into the west for the distance named.

Pittsburgh People Wed.

STEUBENVILLE, O., June 4.—(Special.)—The following Pittsburgh people obtained licenses and were married here: Ronald A. McKeen and Pearl I. Rose, Jeremiah Hurley and Mrs. Mary O'Brien, Abraham Waller and Annie E. Harris, Edward A. Klingensmith and Angeline A. Bergman, George W. Schlebig and Ida Marie Hoyle, John W. Hart and Mary E. James.

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NEW YORK WEEKLY BANK STATEMENT.

Statement of the Associated banks of the city of New York, from reports to the New York clearing house, as required under section 16 of the Constitution, for week ended Saturday, June 3:

Banks.	Loans.	Specie.	Legals.	*Deposits.	Circulation.
Bank of New York, N. B. A.	$ 18,082,600	$ 2,860,000	$ 1,715,000	$ 17,626,000	$ 1,181,000
Bank of Manhattan Co.	20,474,000	7,408,000	2,042,000	33,408,000	.....
Mechanics' National bank	27,657,800	7,193,700	1,644,000	37,094,200	.....
Merchants' National bank	22,254,000	3,947,000	2,566,000	29,719,000	627,500
Bank of America	21,145,100	4,586,400	2,191,800	24,964,300	.....
Phoenix National bank	4,144,000	900,000	418,000	4,718,000	45,000
National City bank	256,044,500	54,459,600	9,448,000	299,206,700	6,941,300
Chemical National bank	24,318,200	4,226,500	1,756,400	27,867,800	.....
Merchants' Exchange N. B.	6,350,500	1,221,500	597,800	6,972,800	171,000
Gallatin National bank	8,030,400	1,161,700	508,000	8,841,500	900,000
Nat. Butchers and Drovers bank	5,045,000	1,000,000	284,000	6,041,000	45,000
Mechanics and Traders' bank	3,067,000	851,000	269,000	3,514,000	.....
Greenwich bank	4,134,500	921,000	224,000	4,360,400	.....
American Exchange Nat. bank	29,272,100	8,282,000	1,705,100	29,720,900	4,155,000
National Bank of Commerce	124,250,600	22,867,400	14,167,000	141,944,500	11,022,400
Mercantile National bank	21,997,800	2,283,000	1,114,000	17,402,200	2,000,000
Pacific bank	4,457,300	247,700	423,200	4,607,800	.....
Chatham National bank	5,556,000	1,000,000	1,000,000	8,000,000	90,000
Peoples' bank	2,204,600	488,500	208,400	2,427,300	.....
Nat. Bank of North America	14,338,000	1,411,100	2,529,600	14,180,000	900,000
Hanover National bank	47,427,600	9,761,000	5,342,700	53,580,400	1,100,000
Irving National bank	7,167,000	1,153,700	373,000	8,076,800	299,000
Citizens' Central National bank	14,971,500	4,021,500	1,495,200	18,598,400	2,247,500
Nassau bank	3,551,000	457,000	304,000	4,041,000	.....
Market and Fulton Nat. bank	2,751,200	611,000	209,000	3,044,200	450,000
Nat. Shoe and Leather bank	7,503,300	1,424,200	429,000	8,289,500	269,700
Corn Exchange bank	27,603,000	5,225,000	3,502,000	34,670,000	.....
Oriental bank	3,084,400	1,018,800	227,600	3,337,900	.....
Imp. and Traders' Nat. bank	23,220,000	8,560,000	1,594,000	29,410,000	67,500
National Park bank	64,498,000	12,426,000	3,918,000	72,952,000	2,000,000
East River National bank	7,247,500	777,100	1,104,200	8,440,200	450,000
Fourth National bank	19,408,800	4,117,200	1,894,000	24,178,200	1,350,000
Second National bank	5,342,000	813,000	1,884,000	7,900,000	274,000
First National bank	55,788,200	19,175,200	2,455,000	80,570,000	2,480,300
New York Nat. Exchange bank	8,174,500	1,402,700	468,700	8,761,800	676,000
Bowery bank	3,420,000	627,000	207,000	3,888,000	.....
New York County Nat. bank	4,701,300	1,045,900	522,000	6,007,200	90,000
German American bank	3,944,400	860,100	261,800	4,507,300	.....
Chase National bank	45,165,600	11,471,100	1,450,000	52,229,500	50,000
Fifth Avenue bank	9,940,200	2,127,000	458,400	10,997,700	.....
German Exchange bank	2,906,700	295,000	115,000	3,067,000	.....
Germania bank	2,777,800	461,900	424,400	3,404,300	.....
Lincoln National bank	12,021,200	1,705,300	2,514,100	13,024,600	225,000
Garfield National bank	3,621,800	1,581,000	350,700	4,730,100	45,000
Fifth National bank	3,744,900	814,000	123,000	3,881,000	241,000
Bank of the Metropolis	2,917,200	1,072,500	147,000	3,511,500	.....
West Side bank	3,017,400	525,000	212,600	3,470,000	.....
Seaboard National bank	14,204,600	3,202,000	1,571,000	17,548,000	135,000
First National bank, Brooklyn	4,211,000	867,000	502,000	4,825,000	75,000
Liberty National bank	11,467,100	2,412,200	250,400	12,400,000	562,500
N. Y. Produce Exchange bank	3,893,200	1,142,000	404,000	4,373,000	.....
New Amsterdam Nat. bank	6,258,300	1,646,800	376,200	6,429,200	90,000
Astor National bank	4,459,000	857,000	342,000	4,458,000	45,000
Totals	$1,161,282,100	$294,540,900	$85,428,300	$1,236,477,700	$46,373,000
	Decrease.	Decrease.	Decrease.	Decrease.	Increase.
	$ 9,720,300	$ 10,975,200	$ 2,300	$ 16,409,500	$ 292,000

Reserve on total deposits, decrease $5,413,522. Reserve on deposits other than United States, decrease $5,411,200.

*United States deposits included, $12,196,500.

Clearings for week, $11,343,275,23. Balances for week, $890,309,899 38.

(Five days.

SUMMER EXODUS TO SOON BEGIN AT WASHINGTON

Departure of the President for Oyster Bay, This Month, Will Be the Signal.

[By Private Wire to The Gazette.]

WASHINGTON, June 4.—The annual vacation of Washington's official and diplomatic set has been somewhat delayed this year, but the departure of the president for his home at Oyster Bay on June 20 will be the signal for a general exodus.

Mr. and Mrs. Vice President Fairbanks will remain at Indianapolis during June, but will spend July and August somewhere north, the exact place not yet determined upon. Secretary Hay and Mrs. Hay, who will return from Europe next week, will make only a short stay in Washington and will then leave for their summer residence at Lake Sunapee, New Hampshire.

Mrs. Secretary Shew and the Misses Shaw will spend July and August in Maine. Secretary Shaw will not accompany them, but will make several trips to spend a few days at a time with his family.

Mrs. Taft has taken a house at Oxford, England, where she and her children will go for several months. Secretary and Mrs. Metcalf will not leave Washington for California until after July 4, arriving there just in time to catch the Manchuria for the Philippines.

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THE THREE RIVERS

[Special Telegram to The Gazette.]

CINCINNATI, O., June 4.—At 6 p. m. today the stage of the Ohio river at Cincinnati was 16.6 feet and falling. The departures of packets from this port today were: Courier, Maysville; City of Louisville, Louisville.

POINT PLEASANT—River 8 feet 8 inches and falling. Weather cloudy. Up, Tom Dodsworth, Convoy.

WARREN—River .8 foot. Showers.

OIL CITY—River 1 foot and stationary. Weather cloudy, cool.

GALLIPOLIS—River 7 feet and falling. Weather cloudy and warm, with light showers.

STEUBENVILLE—River 5 feet 9 inches and falling. Weather cloudy and warm. Up, Bessie Smith, 11:50 a. m.; Kanawha, 3 p. m.; Keystone State, 4 p. m. Down, Virginia, 9 a. m.; Lovena, 8 a. m.

MORGANTOWN—River 8 feet 6 inches and falling. Weather cloudy.

PARKERSBURG—River 6.5 feet and falling. Weather cloudy and mild. The Virginia is due for Cincinnati at 10 p. m.

The stage of water at Davis island dam at 9 o'clock last night was 4.7 feet and the river was falling.

Leave to Confer on Scale.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., June 4.—(Special.)—The conferees for the bar iron conference between the Republic Iron and Steel Company and the Amalgamated association, which will begin tomorrow at Detroit, left here this afternoon. General Manager Charles Hart and James J. Nutt will represent the company. Neither side would discuss the probable outcome of the conference.

TWO KILLED BY TRAIN.

Father and Son Meet Death and Daughter Receives Fatal Injuries.

HARRISBURG, June 4.—John Tittle, a farmer aged 55 years, and his son, James, aged 17 years, were instantly killed, and his daughter, Bertha, aged 13 years, was fatally injured by being struck by an express train on the Stone arch bridge on the Pennsylvania railroad between Mexico and Port Royal this afternoon. Tittle lives one mile from the scene of the accident and he and his children were on their way home from Port Royal, where they had been attending Sunday school.

They were crossing the bridge on the railroad tracks and on the opposite track was a fast freight train, the noise from which prevented their hearing the express coming toward them.

Two Are Killed on P. R. R.

JOHNSTOWN, June 4.—(Special.)—T. C. Lute of New Florence and Harry Hooves of Altoona were killed on the Pennsylvania railroad this morning. Hooves was killed instantly at Sheridan station, and Lute was killed at Conemaugh.

Union Fruit Auction Co.

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PROTEST AGAINST STREET VACATION

Property Owners Sign Petition In Opposition to Closing Forty-Second Street.

OBJECTIONS GO TO COUNCILS

The proposed vacation of a portion of Forty-eighth street for the benefit of the Seamen-Sheeth Company, which owns the property on the west side of the street, has aroused a protest from property owners on the opposite side, and they have signed a petition objecting to the vacation, which will be presented to councils.

It is proposed to vacate a strip 9 feet wide, the entire length of Forty-second street from Willow street to the Allegheny Valley railroad, this strip to be added to the manufacturing plant of the Seamen-Sheeth Company for an extension to the plant. The ordinance was presented in councils nearly two weeks ago by John Costello, select councilman from the Thirty-fifth ward, although the proposed vacation is in the Seventeenth ward.

Mr. Costello declares he knew nothing about the vacation when the ordinance was presented. He says it was handed to him for presentation. Director Bigelow is in favor of the vacation and it is said that he has agreed to secure the passage of the bill through councils. Director Bigelow has said that all of Forty-second street below Willow street should be closed because it leads to the railroad and ends there.

The objectors to the vacation answer that this is true of almost every one of the cross streets running towards the Allegheny river in that district. The ordinance was referred to the surveys committee, where it will come up tomorrow.

Several other vacation bills will come up before the surveys committee tomorrow, as will also the ordinance repealing the widening of Second avenue between Try and Ross streets. It is claimed that this ordinance cannot be considered by the present councils, owing to the fact that a similar ordinance was indefinitely postponed by common council last October.

Director Bigelow's plan is to have the widening ordinance repealed because of the award of the viewers assessing $107,000 in benefits against the city and only $88,000 against the abutting property. The director intends, if the repealer is passed, to extend the widening of Second Avenue clear to Grant street and to abandon Second avenue park.

The principal ordinance in the public works committee, which also meets tomorrow, is the ordinance leasing the Diamond market house site to a syndicate for a period of 99 years, the city to receive the rentals from the market stands on the first floor as compensation for the franchise. The promoters of the measure are exceedingly busy among the members of the committee and claim they will secure the approval of the measure tomorrow.

The finance committee also meets tomorrow in regular monthly session to consider a number of bills, chief of which is the ordinance authorizing the employment of the city auditor for the special work of collecting revenues from the corporations and granting him an additional compensation of $1,500 a year.

AGED WIFE UNDISTURBED BY HUSBAND'S SUICIDE

Dead Man Was in Chair With a Natural Pose When the Coroner Arrived.

NEW YORK, June 4.—At the two windows of their beautifully neat little room at 205 William street, an old Prussian and his wife sat facing each other when Coroner's Physician O'Hanlon entered today to investigate the suicide of Charles German, 73 years old, who had shot himself there. They were fine types of the thrifty Fatherland, white haired, clear-skinned, comfortably dressed. Bismarck's portrait faced that of William II. on the walls, and the bare floor beneath was scrubbed to immaculate whiteness. No suggestion of tragedy was in the old woman's placid "come in" to the physician, but on the table lay a revolver.

"Pardon me, but can you tell me where is Mr. German's body?" said Dr. O'Hanlon.

"Over there," the woman quietly replied. She pointed to the old man, sitting opposite her. His head was bent forward, but his pose was perfectly natural. Investigating, the physician found a bullet hole in the man's head.

"Charley was a fine man," said Mrs. German, reminiscently, "but he suffered so much from the asthma he could not sleep or eat. I shall be very lonesome. We were married 45 years ago in the old country, where Charley was a soldier. Some day I will go, too, and will meet Charley. But I would not shoot myself. No. I will wait till the good Lord tells me to come."

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OIL PRODUCTION LESS IN MAY

A Decline Is Reported Throughout the Entire Mid-Continent Region.

FIGURES FOR THE FIELD

[SPECIAL TELEGRAM TO THE GAZETTE.]

INDEPENDENCE, KAS., June 4.—There was an all-around decline in field operations in the mid-continent oil region in May. The continued downward action of the market and the failure to dispose of the present production are responsible for the slump. Even with 65-cent oil there would be no cessation in field work, were there a market for all the production. Gaugers in the field estimate the possible production at not less than 60,000 barrels a day, while only about 25,000 barrels a day can be handled with the present facilities.

During May in the entire field, including Kansas, Indian territory and Oklahoma, 375 wells were completed. Of this number 257 were successful in finding oil, while 50 were gassers and 68 failures. Many of these gas wells were drilled expressly for gas, as there is a good market for such property. Thus, of the 375 wells drilled, 301 were profitable ventures. It would be hard to find a line of business with any smaller percentage of failures. The estimated new production of the 257 producers is 9,794 barrels. These figures represent 14 fewer completions than in April, 12 fewer producers, eight more gassers, four fewer dusters and 481 barrels less new production. The decline was all in Kansas. The average production of the producing wells in May was 38.1 barrels. The average of April wells was 38 barrels.

April Record of Field.

In April there were in the entire field 389 completions, 289 producers, 42 gassers, 78 dusters and 10,225 barrels new production. May broke nearly even with March. In that month there were 358 barrels new production. In February only 167 wells were drilled.

On May 31 there were 42 rigs and 235 drilling wells in the field, a total of 277, as compared with 307, April 30. On March 31 there were 319.

Kansas completed 144 wells in May, of which 71 were producers, 44 gassers and 29 dusters. The new production amounted to 1,379 barrels. This was a loss of 34 completions and 40 producers; a gain of 10 gassers and four dusters, and a decrease of 501 barrels new production, as compared with April. The average production of May producers was 19.4 barrels. The average production of April wells was 17.9 barrels and of March wells 15.8 barrels.

The largest activity in Kansas was at Paola, where there were 44 completions. Chautauqua county came next with 22 completions. These two districts represent the two extremes in deep and shallow wells. The pay in the Paola field is found anywhere from 350 to 500 feet, while in Chautauqua county it is encountered at a depth averaging about 1,150 feet. The product of the two pools is about the same grade, or quality, but the Chautauqua wells are of larger caliber, and oil men think possess better staying qualities.

No Work in Wayside Pool.

Of the 12 wells completed in the immediate vicinity of independence, eight were for gas and four were dry. There is now nothing at all being done in the Wayside pool, which a few months ago was completing 30 to 40 wells a month. If the effort to establish a fuel market for this oil is successful, and the Niotaze refinery succeeds in taking 200 barrels a day, it is quite probable drilling operations at Wayside will be resumed before the end of the summer.

There is nothing doing at all in the once active Humboldt district, and Leroy has dropped out of the reckoning. Chanute completed 13 wells in May. A year ago this district was drilling from 60 to 70 holes a month. While Cherryvale is drilling almost as many wells as ever, most of them are for the Edgar Zinc Company for gas for fuel purposes. Tyro continues to bring in a 100-barrel well occasionally. Of the 13 scattering wells drilled during the month, eight found gas, four were failures and one proved a producer.

Last summer 135 wells were completed in Montgomery alone. Last month there were but 38 completions. Last September there were 72 more wells drilled in this county than in all the Indian territory and Oklahoma combined. In May the Cherokee nation alone completed 69 more than Montgomery county. The average production of Kansas wells in May was 19.4 barrels. The average production of Twin-territory wells was 45.2 barrels. The Kansas excitement was practically over before the territory really got started. The day is not far distant when operations will be more equalized between the north and south divisions. On May 31 there were eight rigs and 68 drilling wells in Kansas, a total of 76, representing a decrease of 81, as compared with the month previous.

In the Southern Field.

There were 221 completions in the southern field in May. Of these 58 were in the Osage, 167 in the Cherokee, 22 in the Creek nation and 44 in Oklahoma. Of these 168 were successful in finding oil, the estimated new production of which was 8,415 barrels. There were six gassers and 39 dusters. The Osage, with 47 producers, is credited with a new production of 4,180 barrels, while the Cherokee, with 92 producers, is credited with only 2,632 barrels new production. The output of 26 wells in Oklahoma is estimated at 1,880 barrels. There were 29 more wells put down in the southern field in May than in April. The Creek nation (Tulsa and Red Fork), increased 10 and Cherokee six, while the Osage lost five and Oklahoma one. There are 12 wells at Cleveland, Okla., drilled to the sand, waiting for a market before being completed.

The average production of territory wells in May was 45.2 barrels, as compared with 52.5 barrels. The average of Osage wells was 89 barrels the well, and of Cherokee wells was 19 barrels. Thus it will be seen that the producing wells in the Cherokee did not average as high in May as did Kansas wells. May 31 there were 34 rigs and 167 drilling wells in the southern field, a total of 201, a gain of one over the previous month.

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MANY YOUNG GRADUATES.

Sewickley Grammar School Turns Out Large Class This Year.

The Sewickley grammar school will hold its commencement exercises in the Sewickley auditorium Monday evening, June 12. Following are the graduates:

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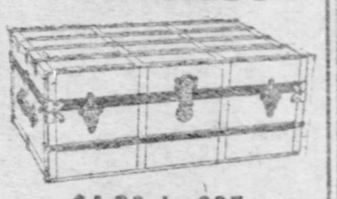

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